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ART ASSOCIATION OF LA CROSSE IS FULLY PERFECTED

With Election of Twenty-four Directors Plans for Exhibit in Near Future Are Forming

BY-LAWS SIMPLE IN FORM

Rules to Guide Club Leave Business in Hands of Directorate of Which Officers Are Members

HOLD MEETING THURSDAY NIGHT

Directors to Meet at Library and Work Out Program Expected to Give Impulse to Art Society

At a meeting of the La Crosse Art Association in the Public Library last evening by-laws were adopted and the following board of directors were elected:

Miss Rena Angell Frank Hixon
L. P. Benetz Gertrude Hogan
Mrs. A. Chubb Mrs. Andrew Lees
J. E. McConnell
L. C. Colman Odlin J. Oyen
Mrs. L. F. Easton Rev. W. J. Peacock
Dr. E. Evans L. M. A. Roy
Mrs. L. B. Finch Mrs. T. H. Spence
Mrs. R. B. Gelatt Mrs. VanSteenwyk
Dr. A. Gunderson A. M. Brayton

It is announced this afternoon that all the members of the board have consented to accept and will actively interest themselves in the plans of the society.

Art Exhibit Soon
Following the meeting of the association, there was a meeting of the directors at which it was expressed as the sense of those present that an art exhibit be given during the week of April 18, when the Wisconsin Music Teachers' association will be in convention in La Crosse.

The president and secretary were directed to enter into correspondence with a view to selecting a suitable exhibit, and the president was authorized to call a meeting of the full board to convene in the library at 7:45 Thursday evening to perfect arrangements.

In the absence of Miss Dorset, Mrs. Edward Evans, acting secretary, announced that already eighty-four citizens have enrolled themselves as members.

Charter Members

A resolution was adopted providing that the time in which it shall be possible to become a charter member of the organization shall terminate at the close of the exhibit. Odlin J. Oyen and A. M. Brayton were appointed a committee on memberships cards, and President Coate, Mr. Oyen and L. M. A. Roy were named a committee to select a place in which to hold the exhibit. The latter committee practically decided, following adjournment, that if the arrangement can be made the Public Library will be selected.

The by-laws, as simple as possible, were adopted as read by Mr. Frank Winter, chairman of the committee. They are as follows:

By-Laws

ARTICLE I—
The name of the association shall be the Art Association of La Crosse.

ARTICLE II—
The object of the Association shall be to promote interest in and appreciation of art.

ARTICLE III— Section 1—Any person may become a member by the payment of one dollar.

Section 2—Any person may become an associate member of this Association by sending his name to the secretary and paying an annual fee of ten dollars.

Section 3—Any person may become a life member of this association upon the payment of one hundred dollars.

ARTICLE IV—
The annual dues for regular members shall be the sum of one dollar.

ARTICLE V—
The officers of the association shall be a president; two vice-presidents; a secretary; a treasurer; and twenty-four directors, to serve for the term of one year, and until their successors are elected.

ARTICLE VI—
The executive officers of the association shall be ex-officio members of the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE VII—
The business and prudential affairs of the association shall be managed by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE VIII— Fifteen members shall constitute a quorum of the association and seven Directors shall be a quorum of the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE IX—
The annual meeting, at which officers shall be elected, shall be held at a date, in 1915, to be designated by the president, and annually thereafter at a date to be fixed by the Board of Directors. Special meetings may be called by the president, or by the president at the request of five directors.

ARTICLE X—
These by-laws may be amended by a majority vote of members present.

TWO MORE BRITISH STEAMERS VICTIMS OF GERMAN TORPEDO

SOUTH SHIELDS, Eng., March 17.—The steamer Blonde, arriving in the Tyne today, reported that she was attacked by a German Taube and that one member of her crew was killed. The Blonde is the second steamer attacked by German aviators. A British vessel arriving at a North sea port recently reported that a Taube flew over her in the English channel and that three bombs were hurled at her deck. Bombs narrowly missed her. The aviator fled when the steamer blew her siren.

LONDON, March 17.—Two more British steamers have been torpedoed by German submarines, the admiralty announced today. The steamers Alalanta was torpedoed off Inishurk and the Fingal off Northumberland.

The Alalanta was torpedoed on Sunday, the admiralty announced, but managed to reach port. The Fingal went to the bottom and the six members of her crew were drowned.

Six British steamers named the Alalanta are listed in Lloyd's registry. All are small vessels of less than 600 tons.

The prowess of Germany's new secretly designed submarines was demonstrated in striking fashion by the two exploits. The admiralty announced that an "untested boat," undoubtedly of the U-29 type, had circled Ireland and torpedoed the Glasgow steamer Alalanta, off Inishurk, on the west coast of County Galway. At the same time it was announced that the Leith steamer Fingal had been torpedoed in the North sea, with a loss of six men. Twenty-one other members of the Fingal's crew were rescued.

To perform its surprising feat off the west coast of Ireland, the German raider must have a cruising radius of at least 3,000 miles. The admiralty does not accept the theory that the Germans have a submarine base near the British coast. This tends to confirm rumors at the outbreak of the war that Germany's newest submarines were equipped to dash across the Atlantic if ordered to attack British shipping.

SENATE OBSERVES ST. PATRICK'S DAY

Adopt Resolution Urging Peace Conference and Applaud Wilson for International Policy

GREEN HAT FOR SENATOR BURKE

His Desk Is Decorated with Hibernian Colors and He Makes Patriotic Speech

MADISON, Wis., March 17.—

Consideration of serious legislation was cast aside in the legislature today and the session dedicated the celebration of St. Patrick's birthday. A spirit of peace and sentiment and brotherhood swept over the senate body and this is what they did:

Urges Peace Plan

Adopted a resolution memorializing congress to adopt the Wisconsin peace plan by calling a conference of neutral nations. Adopted resolutions extending to President Wilson the congratulations, encouraging and support of the people of Wisconsin for the "wise and able" manner in which the nation's executive is meeting the trying problems of the day.

Decorated Senator Burke's desk with green flags, green flowers and presented him with a little green hat.

Extended congratulations to Senator Ray of Oshkosh on his 35th birthday.

At Senator Bray's birthday oranges sent to him from California by his mother.

Sing "Tipperary"

Met informally, shook hands and sang "Tipperary."

It was a happy day, marked by touches of genuine sentiment and a "bully" speech by Senator Burke. Politically, it was an important day, for the legislature threw off its imperial attitude toward President Wilson's policy in handling the war situation. The former position of the senate in its defeat of resolutions offering encouragement and sympathy to the president brought forth much criticism.

The speech of Senator Burke in response to the gift of the "Hibernian chapeau," as Senator Bennett called it, was wildly applauded.

"I have been designated as an Irishman," declared Burke. "But I claim no nationality other than American. This is the true home and only home for the Irish. People of Irish ancestry have played a big part in the upbuilding of the United States. Half the men in the Continental army were of Irish ancestry. These brave people have been fighting the battles of every country except their own. If this flag of green meant allegiance to any sovereign across the water I would not permit it to hang from the same desk with the stars and stripes. It is merely a dear little sentiment; an expression of appreciation. We Americans live in the greatest country of the world and I am proud to stand here and say that I am both Irish and American."

ROWLAND MAROON CAPTAIN

CHICAGO, March 17.—Rowland George, guard on the Chicago basketball team will lead the five next season.

SURVIVORS ASSERT DRESDEN SANK IN NEUTRAL WATERS

Crew Landed Today at Valparaiso Say Craft Went to Bottom Only Half Mile from Coast

BRITISH OFFICER MAKES DENIAL

Declares That Ship Was Healed Off and Sunk as She Ran for Safety Belt Along Coast

VALPARAISO, Chile, March 17.—Was the cruiser Dresden sunk in neutral waters, inside the three mile limit?

Survivors of the German commerce raider today declared that the vessel was sent down less than half a mile off Juan Fernandez Island. Lieutenant Commander Fielding of the auxiliary cruiser Orama, one of the squadron which trapped the Dresden, and the officer who landed the captured crew here, denied the statement.

"The Dresden was about twelve miles off the point of Juan Fernandez island, when we sighted her," said Fielding. "We at once gave chase, the cruiser Glasgow leading, the Kent close behind and the Orama trailing slightly in the rear. The Glasgow closed in to short range and opened fire. She fired several shots before the Dresden's guns got in action. All the time the German was running in toward the coast."

"The Kent swung in to head her off. Before the Kent opened up on her, the Dresden's upper works were afire and it was plainly seen that her radding days were over. The Kent had fired less than half a dozen shells when the Dresden ran up the white flag. We were ordered to stand by and take her in tow. Within a few minutes flames reached her magazine, there was a terrific explosion and the cruiser went down."

"The story that she was sunk in Chilean waters is nonsense. That can be disproven by locating her bulk." German wounded from the Dresden, who were brought here, praised the English ship commanders for their work of rescue but asserted positively that the cruiser was sent to the bottom within less than half a mile of the island. They said the Dresden was at anchor when she was fired on and that her crew was ordered to take to the boats.

OLD 'SHY' SIMPSON DIES IN LOCK-UP FOLLOWING ATTACK

Familiar Riverman Stricken in Bath Rooms and Succumbs Shortly Afterwards at Police Station

Leon Simpson, aged 52, man about town for many years, familiarly known as "Shy" Simpson by his associates, died in a cell at central police station at 1:30 o'clock this morning.

Simpson had been taken by the police from the Linker Brothers' Turkish bath rooms following an attack of delirium tremens at 1 o'clock. He was born at Macomb, Ill. Simpson has lived in La Crosse for twenty years and has been a sub-contractor on government river work for several years. An endeavor is now being made to locate his relatives.

CONVENTION CHIEF REPORTED TODAY IN MEXICO CITY

WASHINGTON, March 17.—The state department had heard unofficially, it was stated this afternoon, that Roque Gonzalez Garza, whom the generals' convention of January 17 elected provisional president, was in Mexico City. He is said to have promised the public protection, and said he would declare martial law if necessary.

FARM COOPERATION HELPS BUTTER MEN REDUCE EXPENSES

Plan Now on Foot to Prevent Overlapping of the Cream Routes at West Salem Creamery

BIG BUTTER PROSPECT HERE

County Makes Extra Fine Product; Churning Expects to Gather at Salem Friday

(By N. D. Tevis)

Co-operation among co-operators is the newest endeavor in the co-operation line, and La Crosse county may be the first in the state to accomplish it. If the aim is accomplished, a new significance will be added to the greatest word in Wisconsin's business vocabulary.

A plan is on foot to form the several co-operative creameries in the La Crosse valley into an association, with a view towards co-operation.

Cream is Touchy

Cream has been found to be as sensitive to odor as the lotus flower to a human touch. One of the most difficult things which the West Salem creamery has to combat is the manner in which the farmer handles his cream while cooling. This is one of the points which it is expected the proposed inspector will overcome.

Cream will absorb all kitchen smells and will retain the smell all the way through to the butter state, and the butter eater will frown at it on his table. Cabbage smell will permeate the butter if the cream is allowed to stand where the odiferous vegetable is cooking.

The use of the gasoline engine in separating has to be guarded. Many instances are being reported of gasoline smells in butter.

tion which would ultimately result in the prevention of needless expense which the creameries are now bearing in their competition with one another.

This is the plan of J. H. Moran, treasurer and manager of the West Salem Co-operative creamery, and other officers. A TRIBUNE representative was today shown through the plant of the West Salem concern, and given insight into the conditions of the creamery business in western Wisconsin.

Route Men Overlap

"We have twelve cream gatherers on our cream routes," said Mr. Moran. "On one of these routes, three other co-operative creameries are gathering cream. While this instance of waste is an exception, it does not seem consistent with 'co-operation.'"

More advanced steps are being taken by creamery concerns in the La Crosse valley this year than ever before, and the general trend points to a greater prosperity for the butter manufacturers.

One of the most important meetings in La Crosse county—so far as creamery men are concerned—will be held at West Salem the latter part of this week. Creamery men will consider the feasibility of engaging an inspector for co-operative concerns in this vicinity and will also consider a plan for forming an association as outlined by Mr. Moran.

The chief purpose of engaging an inspector will be to educate the cream producer—the farmer—into a better knowledge of how to produce a higher grade of cream, a more economical manner of producing it, and greater care in handling it after it is taken from the cow. Creamery men propose to give the inspector the same right as a state inspector of creameries, with the power of adjusting matters inside as well as outside the factories.

Salem's Largest Plant

A stranger cannot step from a train on either of the railroads entering West Salem without seeing the West Salem Co-operative creamery, and no one can enter the creamery plant itself—no matter how poorly acquainted with the business—without immediately noticing certain things. They are mere details to the creamery man, but they represent details which should accompany every creamery in existence. They are cleanliness, system and economy.

Cleanliness is personified in the West Salem creamery. The system of handling the farmer's product, from the gatherer to the cold storage room, saves hundreds of dollars annually, and ultra economical methods place the plant at the head of the "front row" creameries of the United States.

Annual Report is Eloquent
And these statements can easily be backed up with fact; they are proven with the annual report of the earnings of the concern.

December 31, the West Salem company ended its twenty-fourth year of business. For the first time (Continued on Page Six)

ENGLISH EFFORT TO JUSTIFY ORDER WILL BE IGNORED

Explanation Accompanying Text of Commercial Embargo Regulation Meets No Response in U. S.

WILL INSIST UPON NEUTRAL RIGHTS

Declared That Order Will Mean Loss of \$100,000 Daily in Customs Duties to U. S.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—In an explanatory note which refers to the new order in council, prohibiting commerce with Germany, as a "modified blockade," England attempts to justify her embargo. This became known when the text of the order in council was made public by the state department. The English justification declares that the commerce blockade parallels the north's action in the civil war.

There will be no reply to the British explanation. All of its assertions will be ignored by this country, it was plainly indicated at the state department today. It was privately considered, however, that in attempting to justify her position, England had virtually admitted acting without the warrant of precedent.

To Insist on Rights

Persons enjoying the confidence of the administration today insisted that there is to be no change in the American program. Explicit and pointed protest will be made against interference with American over-seas trade that is not contraband of war. This nation will relinquish no right it enjoys to force payment of full damages for any violation of its recognized and treaty rights.

Senators Hoke Smith and Walsh after conferring with President Wilson and Secretary of Commerce Redfield, today estimated that stoppage of German imports to the United States, even under existing conditions, will mean a loss in custom duties alone of more than \$100,000 daily.

In addition, shutting off cotton exports to Germany, direct and through Rotterdam, will mean a reduction in consumption estimated at not less than 20,000 bales weekly. The cotton trade with Germany was just getting well started.

Blockade Not Regular

In the protest to Great Britain, it will be flatly stated that this government does not recognize any belligerent power's right to establish a blockade against commerce on the high seas. While it will be admitted modern invention has brought with it modifications of methods of warfare, it will be insisted that a definite coast line must be included and provisions made for establishment of what will be in fact an actual blockade, in order to check an enemy's commerce. And this is the glaring omission from the British plan, the United States will contend.

In preparing the protest undue haste will be avoided. Counsellor Robert Lansing of the state department will be assisted by experts on naval law, because the present question is entirely a naval one. It is expected that every possible argument raised in England will be met by this country, so that if relief is not given, the question can be renewed and demands made for damages after the war is over.

DEANEY ARRAIGNED PLEADS NOT GUILTY REMAINED TO JAIL

Switchman Accused of Giving Liquor to Small Boy Says He Didn't Cause the Boy's Death

Arthur S. Deaney, railroad switchman, charged with the death of Lawrence Hunter, ten year old Little Falls boy, was arraigned in county court at Sparta yesterday afternoon. He pleaded not guilty to a first degree manslaughter charge and was remanded to jail to await a hearing set for March 24.

Deaney is alleged to have given the Hunter boy and a companion who has not been identified a quantity of whiskey. Hunter's companion became sick immediately and vomited. Physicians who treated the Hunter boy failed to make him vomit and he died within a short time.

Boy Gives Description.

Before he died, the Hunter boy gave a description of Deaney and it was through this that he was arrested by Sheriff George Boss of Sparta at Baraboo Monday night. Deaney obtained a bottle of whiskey from Andrew Johnson, saloonkeeper at Little Falls, the same day the Hunter boy died.

Deaney denies all knowledge of how the boy obtained the drink although admits having been in Little Falls the same day. He says his house is at Jacksonville, Fla. He has been working as brakeman on railroads in this vicinity for several months.

BALKANS RESTIVE AS ITALY NEARS BREAK WITH DUAL MONARCHY

Today's War News Told Officially

PARIS, March 17.—Renewal of the bombardment of Rheims by German artillerymen and gains at several points along the Franco-Flanders battle line were reported in official dispatches today.

Two German shells have added to the work of destruction at the historic Rheims cathedral. Part of the roof has now been wrecked and the interior of the cathedral is in ruins. Between Dixmude and Neuport the Belgians have made further progress along the Yser. In the fighting around Arras, the British have repelled several German attacks. The Germans are again shelling Soissons. French troops have made important gains in the Champagne and Argonne, North of Mesnil. The Germans were driven back along a front nearly one-third of a mile in width. In the Argonne, between Bolante and Four de Paris, several German attacks have been repulsed.

BERLIN
BERLIN, via Wireless to Sayville, L. I., March 17.—The French are again storming the German trenches in the Champagne region, according to the official statement from the war office today. West of Perthes the attacks were unsuccessful, but north of Mesnil a strong French force is making energetic assaults upon the German positions. The result of this fighting was in doubt when official dispatches were filed to Berlin.

At several other points in France violent engagements are proceeding. In the east Argonne region a French force that occupied the southwest slope of the plateau of Vauquois has been driven from its positions and forced to retreat. In the Priest woods northwest of Pont-a-Mousson, two French attacks have failed.

In the north the Germans have finally taken possession of a cliff northwest of Arras after a three days' battle in which the British suffered heavy losses. At the other end of the battle line, in the Vosges, only artillery duels are in progress.

There have been no important developments in Poland.

PETROGRAD

PETROGRAD, March 17.—Floods in the valley of the Orzez river have forced the Germans threatening Przasnysz from the northeast to retire for a distance of nearly two miles, according to Warsaw dispatches today.

Bombardment of Ossowetz by the German 42-centimetres continues. But slight damage has been done. To the north the enemy has made sporadic attempts to reach the Niemen, about twenty-five miles northwest of Grodno.

The latest Austrian attempt to march toward Przemyśl apparently has been abandoned.

Southwest of Stanislaw, where the Archduke Ferdinand's Austrian army halted in its retreat from the Dniester, another big battle is developing.

DEATH MAY BE HOAX

CHICAGO, March 17.—After three days of fruitless search for the body of H. L. Wilson of Minneapolis, who is supposed to have jumped into the Chicago river from an off-loop bridge, police today expressed the belief that Wilson may be alive. The discovery of Wilson's coat and vest on the bridge is the only evidence of suicide.

REJECT GAS RATE OFFER

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., May 17.—By nine majority the electors at yesterday's primaries rejected the offer of the Grand Rapids Gas company for 75 cent gas in return for a new twenty-year franchise. The present rate is 80 cents.

LOOK MAID SERVANTS HERE'S ONE FRIEND IN STATE CAPITOL!

MADISON, Wis., March 17.—(Special.)—The hours of labor of domestic servants may be made the subject of an investigation by the state industrial commission. A bill directing the commission to conduct such a survey has been offered in the assembly by Assemblyman Carl Hinkley of Milwaukee. The measure was referred to the committee on labor.

The Hinkley bill provides that no person employed by another in performing household or domestic work shall be permitted to work for such periods of time during any day, night or week, "as shall be inimical or prejudicial to the life, health, safety, welfare and morals of such person." It then provides that for the purpose of the health and morals of domestic servants they shall be provided with reasonably sanitary quarters and with rooms or places for receiving, entertaining and visiting with others.

SERVIAN TROOPS REPORTED ALONG ALBANIAN FRONTIER

Bulgarian Movement Toward Gulf of Saros Is Also Reported Today

WAR DEMONSTRATIONS IN ITALY

But Government Officials Declare That There Has Been No Break in Negotiations

ROME, March 17.—Rumors of important developments in the Balkans today divided attention in diplomatic circles with reports that Austria and Italy are nearing a break.

Private advices from Uskub indicated a massing of Servian troops in the direction of the Albanian frontier. This gave rise to a report that Servia had determined upon a sudden invasion of Albania with the object of obtaining a hold on the Adriatic. A report from Salonika said important Bulgarian movements have been observed in the direction of the Turko-Bulgarian frontier indicating a Bulgarian movement southward toward the Gulf of Saros.

Almost cut off from authoritative news from the war centers, Salonika and Uskub have been rumor centers since the war started. For this reason neither of the reports reaching here today was given serious consideration, except insofar as they indicate further unrest in the Balkans.

Anti-Austrian demonstrations were again reported from a number of Italian cities today. Unquestionably the warlike utterances of that portion of the press favoring the allies is stirring up a strong sentiment in favor of war. On the other hand the leaders who have consistently urged the maintenance of Italy's neutrality have not been without success.

High government officials today insisted that there is no cause for alarm. The negotiations with Austria, being conducted through Von Bulow, are continuing. That there has been no breaking off of the interchanges is taken to mean here that Austria may yet yield to Italy's demand for an extension of her boundaries.

GUARD FOREIGN EMBASSIES

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Secretary Bryan denied today that it was at the state department's request police guards have been placed over the warring European powers' embassies here. It was believed the authorities feared outrages by irresponsible cranks.

WILSON WEARS SHAMROCK

WASHINGTON, March 17.—President Wilson wore a green tie and in his buttonhole a bunch of shamrock. For the first time within the oldest atache's memory, however, there was no box of shamrocks received from the "Ould Sod."

UNION MASS MEETING

There will be a general mass meeting of union men tonight at Centennial hall to take up the Rubber Mills lockout situation. The Retail clerks and Electrical workers last night voted assessments for benefits for the jobless employees.

Weather

Temperatures yesterday: High, 40. Low, 24.

Precipitation, 0. Forecast for La Crosse and vicinity: Fair tonight and Thursday with moderate temperature.

For Wisconsin: Fair tonight and Thursday. Slightly warmer east and south portions tonight.

For Minnesota: Fair tonight and Thursday. Not much change in temperature.

Weather Conditions
The pressure continues highest over the Atlantic states but the storm center has moved off the coast and the temperature has fallen from Montreal to Miami. Another storm is moving in on the north Pacific coast and the temperature has risen over the Pacific slope.

It is also somewhat warmer in the plains states from Kansas to North Dakota. Killing frost is reported in northern Louisiana.

No precipitation of consequence is reported except in eastern Tennessee and North Carolina, where amounts in excess of half an inch occurred.

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CLASS ELECTS AND DECIDES ON DATE OF ANNUAL BANQUET

SPARTA, Wis., March 17.—(Special.)—Chester McMullan was elected president of the Crescent Sunday school class of the Methodist church here last night. Axel Nicol was elected vice president, Walter Turner secretary and Lee Wakeman, treasurer. Members of the class plan to hold their annual "Get together banquet" during the spring school vacation.

Seventy-five attended the affair last year.

Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Edwards are sitting in Chicago for a few days. Miss Marguerite Baldwin of Sparta is playing with the Heyde Drama Players, who are now playing a short engagement at the Armory.

Miss Nellie Ward of Babcock, Wis., is visiting at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Ward.

Miss Helen Wood has gone to Brookings, S. D., where she is employed.

The Women's Foreign Missionary society met this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. W. C. Wakeman had charge of the program and the topic "The Child at Play and at Work" proved exceptionally interesting.

Rev. F. E. Bauchhoff, a former Sparta minister, will preach at the Methodist Episcopal church next Sunday evening.

John Thurow, Elmer Buchholz, Charles Weingarten of Wilton were in Sparta yesterday.

W. B. Wells of Tomah and D. Burkey were Sparta callers yesterday.

Leo J. Bergen of La Crosse stopped in Sparta yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Stewart of Ladysmith visited in Sparta yesterday.

Rev. Bowen of Bangor was a Sparta visitor yesterday.

Mrs. Thomas Taylor was a Bangor caller yesterday.

Miss Mabel Doyle, who has accepted the position of bookkeeper for Dodge & Davis, left this morning for La Crosse.

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WEATHER BULLETIN

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Boston	28	48	0
Charleston	42	60	0
New York	26	48	0
Washington	28	46	0
Galveston	44	56	0
Jacksonville	40	60	0
New Orleans	42	54	0
Chicago	28	40	0
La Crosse	24	40	0
Madison	24	36	0
Memphis	36	42	0
Milwaukee	32	36	0
Bismarck	26	38	0
Huron	24	32	0
Kansas City	30	46	0
St. Paul	30	46	0
Boise	38	62	0
Denver	30	44	.08
Helena	34	54	0
Miles City	24	40	0
Portland, Ore.	48	68	0
Spokane	38	56	0
Medicine Hat	46	66	0

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The TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

INFANTS NOT ALLOWED

BY CATHERINE COOPE

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Mary Anne turned from the box office after securing her seat for the matinee on the following Saturday. It was not often that she was so extravagant as to pay five shillings for a seat in the stalls, but Mary Anne preferred a good seat once a month to a gallery seat once a week.

She would have left the foyer and gone out for the pleasant jaunt through the shops but for the fact that her attention was attracted to the poor little woman who stood forlornly holding a tiny infant in her arms. The woman had been arguing quietly with the boxoffice man, but to no avail.

"I have come all the way from Bexhill," Mary Anne heard her say, "and both my friends are waiting for me in the gallery. I don't know what to do." There was positive tragedy in the disappointed, tired face.

"I am sorry madame, but infants in arms are not allowed in the theater. It is against the laws of the house." There was finality in the young man's voice.

The woman turned away and Mary Anne knew that tears had welled up in the woman's eyes.

With her usual impulsiveness Mary Anne approached the woman and made inquiry. The infant, more or less dirty, crowded delightedly, completely oblivious to the disappointment he had caused his mother by being so youthful.

"I can't go in with 'im and I've paid my way in from Bexhill. My friends are up there now. They'll be wondering what's happened to me."

"Couldn't I take care of the baby while you go up and see the pantomime? I have the whole afternoon free. Do let me." Mary Anne's heart tugged violently as she saw the great joy shine in the tired little woman's eyes.

"I will take charge of him and bring him back here for you. Come, we will ask the boxoffice man when Jack and the Beanstalk will be over, and I will be back with him."

"Afternoon," Mary Anne had come quickly over, ascertained the time the performance closed and returned to take the baby. The woman was quite overcome with happiness. The sudden and unexpected opening of the theater door before her vision had almost bereft her of speech. Mary Anne silenced her thanks with a smile.

"I had nothing else to do this afternoon," she told her, realizing with a sigh that the glory of seeing the shops in Regent street would have to be postponed. She saw the woman through the door, wondering what her impulsive nature had got her into this time.

Mary Anne lived in the suburbs and she remembered the huge open fires that she had seen in the Liverpool station when she had come in the morning to business.

"Now," she pondered, "shall I just go down and sit quietly by one of those nice fires and let this infant sleep or shall I have a tiny look at the shops?" She gazed anxiously down at the face of the baby. It was even then showing signs of coming discontentment. Also, Mary Anne's arms were going to feel the uncanny burden.

The shops faded and she went out into the Strand to get a bus for Liverpool street station. She only felt the mammoth task she had undertaken, when she seemed to get on the bus. It appeared as if everyone therein had to assist her and the baby to a seat.

Extracting her fare was another trial, but she managed finally, and the baby seemed willing to remain quiet while the bus was in motion.

Mary Anne arrived in the station and beside the warm fire without mishap. She had not been comfortably associated there for a pair of five minutes before the infant showed most positive signs of dissatisfaction with Mary Anne's treatment of him. He wailed softly at first, but developed so loud a roar that many persons in the waiting room stared or, more truthfully, glared at Mary Anne, while one or two men walked disgustedly out of the station.

The girl was distracted. She wished she had never wanted to see "Jack and the Beanstalk." She pined for knowledge of the care of infants and determined to study up Dr. Holt without loss of time. The fact that the baby let slip the bottle his mother had given Mary Anne brought a deep flush to the girl's cheeks.

A young man, who had been surreptitiously watching Mary Anne's frantic efforts to pacify the baby came over and picked up the fallen bottle and presented it to her.

"Is there anything I can do for you?" he asked, and he seemed so likely to know more than she did about infants that Mary Anne smiled gratefully. "There may be a pin sticking him—have you looked?"

"No-o" said Mary Anne. "I didn't know just where to look."

"Great Scott! Who dressed your baby? Let me have a look!" He took the baby from Mary Anne's arms very firmly but gently, and Mary Anne heaved a sigh of relief. The young man certainly knew how to handle a baby.

"No doubt you have several of your own," she vouched only half aloud.

"No—not guilty. I am a doctor. That is why I had the temerity to offer my assistance. There seems nothing wrong with the kiddie. Wouldn't he take his milk?"

"No," Mary Anne said with a wistful smile that sent a wave of peculiar

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emotion over the young man. "He didn't seem to want it."

"Maybe you gave it to him too hot," suggested the doctor.

"Hot! It was stone cold." She gazed fearfully at the baby.

"Cold milk for an infant! You are a fine mother," the doctor commented.

"But I am not his mother," protested Mary Anne with a rush of color to her cheeks. "I am taking care of him for a poor little woman who came in to go to the pantomime and couldn't get in with her baby. I don't know a thing about babies."

"Quite unnecessary information," laughed the doctor, somehow very much relieved that Mary Anne was not the infant's mother. He had been wondering how so neat and dainty a girl could take such wretched care of a baby.

"Now I will give you instructions, if you listen carefully," he continued laughing, glad to see the distressed look vanishing from Mary Anne's eyes. "Go to the woman who has charge of the waiting room. She will just be making her afternoon tea. Ask her to put this bottle in the kettle for a few minutes, then bring it back to me."

"I think I can manage that," Mary Anne told him with a shy smile. She marvelled that the baby had become wonderfully contented in the doctor's arms.

When she returned with the warmed bottle of milk and the baby eagerly put his little hands about it, Mary Anne heaved another sigh of relief.

"I don't suppose there ever was a person so silly as myself," she said, with her wistful smile playing and a look of decided admiration in her eyes for the man who had come to her rescue.

Dr. Cosgrove waited until the baby had fallen into a sound sleep, then glanced at the clock.

"What time must you return the baby?" he asked.

Mary Anne glanced at the big station clock.

"I should be starting up now," she answered. "Then I must come back here and catch my train for Romford."

"I will take baby to the theater—if you wish," suggested the doctor. "I suppose his mother would know him," he added with a laugh, and in his eyes was the hope that Mary Anne would come with him.

"Perhaps it would be better for me to go," she said and blushed softly. "I must ask if she enjoyed the pantomime because I have taken a seat for the matinee Saturday."

"I suppose you wouldn't mind showing me the number of your seat for Saturday?" Dr. Cosgrove asked tentatively as they went toward the theater with the sleeping baby. "I have been intending to see 'Jack and the Beanstalk.'"

His guilty expression told Mary Anne that the pantomime had never entered his head before.

"My seat is No. 14-D," she said quickly.

She realized that fate had destined to fling her and the young doctor onto the same life path. Why should she try to flout fate?

Mary Anne blushed hotly and Dr. Cosgrove burst into hearty laughter when the little mother of the infant came beaming from the theater.

"Your missus has been an angel! I wish I could give her as much happiness as she has given me today."

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MADISON, Wis., March 17.—(Special.)—"The state barbers' board is absolutely unnecessary. It is not doing good work. Its members are appointed to render political service."

This was Assemblyman W. L. Smith's indictment made before the senate state affairs committee yesterday afternoon. Mr. Smith is a Milwaukee barber. He suggested a plan which met with approval from Senator Bosshard, that the board's functions be exercised by the state hotel inspectors under the state board of health, thus avoiding expensive traveling and duplication of inspection.

TOMAH RESIDENCE BURNS TO GROUND

Henry Residence South of City Catches Fire Early Tuesday Morning; Owner Escapes

TOMAH, Wis., March 17.—(Special.)—The home of W. Henry, south of Tomah, was destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. Mr. Henry was asleep when the fire broke out. Gathering up his clothing, he made his escape but was unable to save any of his property. It is not known how the fire started.

Local and Personal

Mrs. Eldsmoe entertained the Five Hundred club Monday evening. E. S. Meloy and Mrs. D. Oleson won first honors. Mrs. E. Lockwood and D. Oleson, second honors.

The Chatter club were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. E. Curry on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Henry Ziebell is reported ill. Mrs. E. Becker of Tarr Valley is seriously ill.

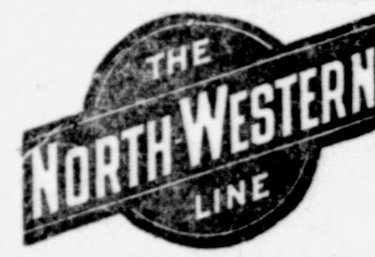
Mrs. Treat and daughter Ruth, who have been visiting in Appleton for some time, returned to their home Saturday night.

Miss Maude King of Milwaukee, is visiting at the parental home.

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NOW that we hear of so many battles, both on sea and land," daddy told the children, "reminds me of a great sea battle which two little boys had back in the days when the United States was at war with Spain.

"That was some years ago, and those boys are grown young men now, but they often laugh about that battle. Jimmy was the name of one boy and Tommy was that of the other, and they lived next door to each other.

"They used to quarrel sometimes, as little boys will do, and little girls, too, I am afraid, but most of the time they got on very well.

"Of course when the war began they just had to play war games, and they heard their papas talking a great deal about the plans for the battleships to meet on the ocean. So Jimmy said to Tommy one day when they were playing in Tommy's yard, 'Let's have a sea fight.'

"All right," answered Tommy. "Where shall we have it, and what with?"

"Oh," said Jimmy, "there's a big mud puddle down in our garden, and we will get some big chips from our woodpile, and they will be the ships, and we will blow on them and make them sail against each other, and the chip that pushes the other one back is the winner and has captured the other."

"And so these two little boys went to the woodpile and got a number of smooth white chips, some large and some small, and they went to the puddle, and each knelt down on his side of the puddle, and they launched their chips in battle lines, and then they blew out their cheeks as if they had been big frogs just as welling till they nearly burst and blew these chips into battle against one another as if the wind were filling the sails of real ships.

"Jimmy and Tommy each blew till they were red in the face, and it didn't seem as if they could blow any more, but they couldn't seem to defeat each other, for when Jimmy's chips were blown against Tommy's he'd blow like a regular little bellows and push his chips against Jimmy's and drive them back the other way. Neither side could seem to win.

"And after awhile they were so tired blowing that they lay and rested for awhile and looked up at the blue sky and talked about what fun it would be to be sailors and to sail around seeing the world or to be soldiers and wear fine uniforms and carry guns and swords.

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February 7,730
Daily Average

1—Mon	7,715	15—Mon	7,699
2—Tues	7,726	16—Tues	7,678
3—Wed	7,701	17—Wed	7,704
4—Thur	7,714	18—Thur	7,687
5—Fri	7,697	19—Fri	7,698
6—Sat	7,711	20—Sat	7,714
7—Sunday	21—Sunday		
8—Mon	7,692	22—Mon	7,692
9—Tues	7,680	23—Tues	7,687
10—Wed	7,727	24—Wed	7,695
11—Thur	7,698	25—Thur	7,718
12—Fri	7,691	26—Fri	7,852
13—Sat	7,709	27—Sat	7,731
14—Sunday	28—Sunday		

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AGAIN THE NEUTRAL OX IS GORED

Neutral commerce receives another body blow in England's latest declaration of shipping regulations. That attitude that neutrality has no rights that anyone is bound to respect seems to be the moving principle concealed behind the superficially courteous phrases in which each new maritime dictum is put forth by the belligerents. In effect, the hostile nations are vying in heaping indignities upon the non-combatants. England's flat establishing a paper blockade of Germany puts her one ahead in the score.

Great Britain's latest policy, aimed to cripple Germany, strikes only through neutral commerce. The weight of it is felt first by those nations which have no interest in the quarrel. Prize court action, even if it be prompt and regard the rights of neutral shipping, as laid down by international law, is inadequate recompense for the crippling of commerce bound to follow the new rule. The evil goes farther back than the prize court, and prize court justice will not remedy it.

The British have arbitrarily declared all contraband that is consigned to German ports—were it no more dangerous a cargo than babies' neckwear. The action is not only unprecedented. It is indefensible.

The English say in effect that we must submit, because it is her only resource to meet the situation created by Germany's submarine warfare. But England's quarrel with Germany is none of our affair, nor

are its methods, except as they bear on neutral freedom of the sea. Germany's submarine blockade, itself an unheard of device before this conflict, is at least conducted with all possible tenderness toward neutral commerce, and with every effort to interfere as little as possible. The English order, on the other hand, on the plea of military necessity, abruptly forbids the sea to unoffending merchantmen.

England's military necessity is not our adversity. We are not in duty bound to help her, much the less that it can only be done by tying up our trade as effectually as if our own ports were blockaded.

In the heat of conflict, the old world is reverting to the ancient and terrible doctrine that might is right. It is the obligation of the nations enjoying peace to insist upon proper recognition of rights based on the more just foundations of moral law, no less to preserve the sanity of the world than to shield their commerce from destruction.

OUR ESTIMATE OF MR. TIPPMAN

"It was funny enough to make a monkey laugh—I laughed till I cried," a young woman unfortunately phrased her emotions over a ludicrous incident. What happened in the Free Press office was very funny. We laughed—perhaps you will—and if not, show it to the monkey. The Sentinel tells the story:

Manager Grieb must have been surprised and pleased to learn from our morning neighbor that "Twas a real Milwaukee First program at the Auditorium yesterday, given by the Auditorium Symphony orchestra at the weekly concert."

In point of fact, the program thus characterized by our forehanded contemporary will not be rendered until next Sunday afternoon.

So it certainly argues no small advance in the art of musical criticism and the training of the prophetic ear that our gifted neighbor was able to furnish a week in advance an appreciative critique of the exquisite rendition of unperformed numbers in a still to be executed program. Perhaps the real chef d'oeuvre in clairvoyance is the awarding of a double encore to Mr. Carberry in respect of a solo which he, so to speak, sang next Sunday.

Surely we musical critics are getting on. But to prevent mistakes and calm Manager Grieb, let us add that the "Made in Milwaukee" concert is scheduled for next Sunday, and in all probability will be fully as good as our contemporary thinks it was.

The serious side of the yarn is the insincerity of newspaper criticism of "home talent." It has its justification in a generous impulse, but it is carried to extremes. A little truth about the deficiencies of home productions, mingled with earned praise of the better numbers, makes the story worth reading.

That is why THE TRIBUNE values the services of Isador Tippman as music critic.

True, Mr. Tippman has flayed Paderewski and paid compliments to local pianists, but Mr. Tippman has a sense of proportion. His criticisms take into account the status of the musician, and what fairly may be expected. To him a thing may be excellent as a non-professional production or the work of an undeveloped genius, although the same rendition by a supposed master would meet with his pointed disapproval.

Within the bounds of that sense of proportion, Mr. Tippman's conscience controls his utterances. His concession to conscience is largely in what he refrains from saying, for he dislikes to hurt the always tender musician, especially the beginner. If the local musician is strong enough to stand it, he may utter adverse comment; if not, he will not bestow praise where it is not earned, rather he will ignore the fault. The important result is that readers may know his words are the truth as he sees it. His commendation carries conviction that whom he praises has merit and that the merit has been interpreted with understanding of the performer's position in the scale of art.

Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

Out to Old Aunt Mary's
Wasn't it pleasant, O brother mine, In those old days of the lost sunshine Or youth—when the Saturday's chores were through, And the "Sunday's wood" in the kitchen, too, And we went visiting, "me and you," Out to Old Aunt Mary's?

It all comes back so clear today! Though I am as bald as you are gray— Out by the barn lot and down the lane, We patter along in the dust again, As light as the tips of the drops of the rain, Out to Old Aunt Mary's!

We cross the pasture, and through the wood Where the old gray snag of the poplar stood, Where the hammering "red-heads" hopped away, And the buzzard "raised" in the "clearing" sky And lolled and circled, as we went by, Out to Old Aunt Mary's.

And then in the dust of the road again; And the teams we met, and the countrymen, And the long highway, with sun-shine spread As thick as butter on country bread, Our cares behind, and our hearts ahead, Out to Old Aunt Mary's.

Why, I see her now in the open door, Where the little gourds grew up the sides and o'er The clappboard roof—and her face, ah me! Wasn't it good for a boy to see— And wasn't it good for a boy to be, Out to Old Aunt Mary's?

And O my brother, so far away, This is to tell you she waits today To welcome us—Aunt Mary fell Asleep this morning, whispering, "Tell The boys to come." And all is well Out to Old Aunt Mary's. —James Whitcomb Riley.

Wanted Straw to Chew

"Ever since you've been in town," said the city relation, "you've been going to a soda fountain two, or three times a day and ordering lemonade."

"Yep," replied Farmer Cornstassel. "A habit's a habit."

"And you don't drink the lemonade?"

"I don't want it. I'm willing to pay the nickel so as to get a straw to chew."

Explains the "We"
"What's the idea of using the pronoun 'we' so often in your article?"

"Well," replied the editor, "it's a matter of self-protection. In case anybody takes offense I want to sound as much as possible like a crowd."

Perishable News
English Newsie (selling extras)—Better ave one and read about it now, sir; it might be contradicted in the morning.—London Punch.

Bound to Know
On one occasion a Jamaican boy who was a switch tender in Culebra cut was found asleep with his head



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resting on the rails of the switch. "Dat's all right, boss," said the boy when waked. "No train can get by here widout me knowing it!"—The Youth's Companion.

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Vicar—For shame, my lad! What have those poor little fish done to be imprisoned upon the day of rest?

Tommy—That's—that's what they got for—for chasing worms on a Sunday, sir.

A Modest Man

She—No, Mr. Jimpson, I'm sorry, but I wouldn't marry the best man living.

He—No, Well, at any rate you will have the satisfaction of knowing that he offered himself.—Boston Transcript.

Everything Has Gone Up

The Old Skipper—Don't you come tellin' me none of your cock-an'-bull yarns about waves eighty feet high. Why, I've been at sea, man an' boy, for night on fifty years, and never saw none no higher than forty.

The Young Sailor—Ah, but see 'ow things' have gone up since then!

Cowboy Fisherman

Young Lady (on first visit to western ranch)—For what purpose do you use that coil of line on your saddle?

Cowpuncher—That line, as you call it, lady, we use for catching cattle and horses.

Young Lady—I dare say. Now, may I ask, what do you use for bait?

The Better Way

"What's the row in your club?"

"Terribly split. We disagree as to the meaning of a certain passage in Browning."

"Well, don't let the club break up. Hire a lawyer, let him read the passage, and render a decision as to its meaning. And then let all hands abide by it."—Kansas City Journal.

THANK OFFERING BIG

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 17.—With two hundred and seventy-five churches remaining to be heard from Edward H. Boswell, secretary of the "Bible" Sunday campaign committee, reported that the thank offering to the evangelist now aggregates \$35,796.45. It is expected the remaining four days collections will swell the amount to \$60,000.

Feminine Nature.

Ye maybe ken as weel as I do, for ye hae a housekeeper, though ye arena a married man, that women are wilfu' and downa bide a slight.—Scott.

A Second "Under Two Flags"

THE RED MIRAGE

By I. A. R. WYLIE

Author of The Native Born, The Daughter of Brahma, Etc.

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"Ah, mon bleu, what good spirits! And what a nice little piece of luggage you have there! When the sun rises it will help to keep you warm. Allah be praised!"

The boy made no answer, but as though the taunt had awakened his mind to some terrifying preface of the future, he lifted his head and stared out westward. In a burst of golden splendor the red orb of the sun had risen above the horizon, and with its rising the night desert faded into an earthly paradise of color. Where there had seemed utter desolation there were now long stretches of waving grass, patches of green oases where stately palms rose out of some hidden lake and silhouetted their leaves against the sapphire sky-line. And over all an atmosphere saturated with radiance, all warmth, all healing. The chill of the night softened, and yet on every haggard face, lifted for an instant to greet this resurrection of life, there was carved a speechless dread.

The hours passed. The sun stood high above the crest of the sand-hills. It was no longer red, but a fierce merciless bronze. There was no longer life nor color; all—oasis, hills, that hidden promise that lay northward—had sunk in shimmering, stifling waves which beat down upon the sand and rose again in fierce reflection to the brazen skies of their creation.

"The whole column—halt!" A shrill whistle, which yet sounded lifeless in the dead air. The men dropped where they stood. With their faces buried in their arms they lay inert, indifferent. Only the colonel remained standing. With a curt gesture he refused the flask which his adjutant courteously extended to him.

"I thank you. One marches better on an empty stomach."

"Surely you will use your horse now, Colonel?"

"No." For the first time the hard face softened as he turned and laid his gloved hand on the animal's neck. "The poor brute is done up already."

"And you, my Colonel, are you never done up?"

"No." He glanced impatiently at his wrist-watch. "The ten minutes are over, Corporal Gotz—sound the advance."

The man addressed sprang instantly to his feet. His greyhound's figure—slim, alert, without an ounce of superfluous flesh, every inch hardened to wiry muscle—was drawn up with an ease the more remarkable in that herd of cowed exhausted vagabonds. The bronzed narrow-cut face would have been expressionless but for the scar running diagonally from forehead to chin. It gave him the air of reckless nonchalance, which was heightened by the rather haughty eyes and the thin hard mouth under the close-cropped mustache. He stood at the salute, the steel-gray eyes fixed coolly on the officer's storm-threatening features.

"My Colonel, the men have marched since midnight; they have not eaten for six hours."

"Blow the whistle. The baggage is on ahead. We must be in Sid-bel-Abbes tonight."

"Yesterday we marched through the midday heat. Two men went and ran into the desert. They are dead by now."

"Two bad soldiers. Give the signal, or by God—"

For an instant they eyed each other in silence. It was curious that, despite the gulf of rank between them, they measured each other. Then the corporal turned heavily on his heel.

"The whole column!"

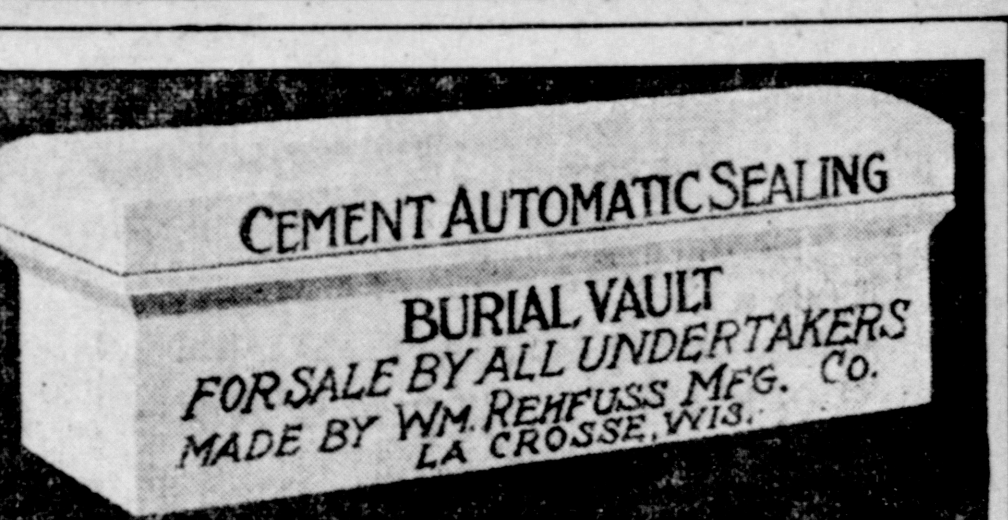
The signal passed from company to company. The inert bodies, galvanized to life by the indomitable will, reeled and staggered to their feet. Only 3112, beneath his double burden, did not move. A sergeant hurrying up the line kicked him in the ribs.

"Get up there!"

A faint tremor passed through the prestrate body. The sergeant kicked again.

"Name of thunder, will you get up? Corporal Gotz, lend me a hand. We'll see what the colonel can do for this fine gentleman's son."

They lifted him between them, the corporal using some tenderness.



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His own face had grown deadly white.

"I believe the poor fellow is dying," he said in his broken French. "A double knapsack like that—"

"Merde! A stimulant—I know them. There!" He flung the limp body down on a heap of stones. "See how you like that bed, my delicate one."

The colonel, bent over a map which his adjutant held spread out for him, turned sharply.

"What's all this, Sergeant?"

"A fine fellow who says he's tired, my Colonel. I told him to get up, and he cursed you and all the saints."

Corporal Gotz's lips opened—closed again into a hard straight line. The colonel strode over to the motionless body.

"Get up!" he said softly. A spasm passed like a wave over the narrow shoulders. The will was calling—this time in vain. No. 3112 groaned and lay still. "A cur and a weakling. Leave him. Take his rifle, Corporal. We know these deserters' tricks. Perhaps a hyena will hurry him home."

"My Colonel, permit me to carry him—"

"Silence, Corporal. This is not a regiment of babies—"

"At least let me stay with him till it is all over. You can trust me. I give you my word of honor—"

The sergeant laughed outright. Even the colonel's face relaxed in a grim smile.

"The whole column—forward march!"

He took his place at the head of the first company.

Wordless, soundless, the column staggered into line. They were old men now, bent double, decrepit with suffering. As they passed the prostrate body of their boy comrade they swerved aside, but there was no pity or any emotion on their stony faces. All feeling was dead—only the will merciless and ruthless.

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Due from banks 517,819.69

\$4,002,392.64

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock \$ 400,000.00
Surplus 150,000.00
Undivided profits 54,889.01
Nat'l bank notes outstanding 327,140.00
Deposits 3,070,363.63

\$4,002,392.64

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By C. N. PAYNE

"S'MATTER, POP?"



LEW FIELDS

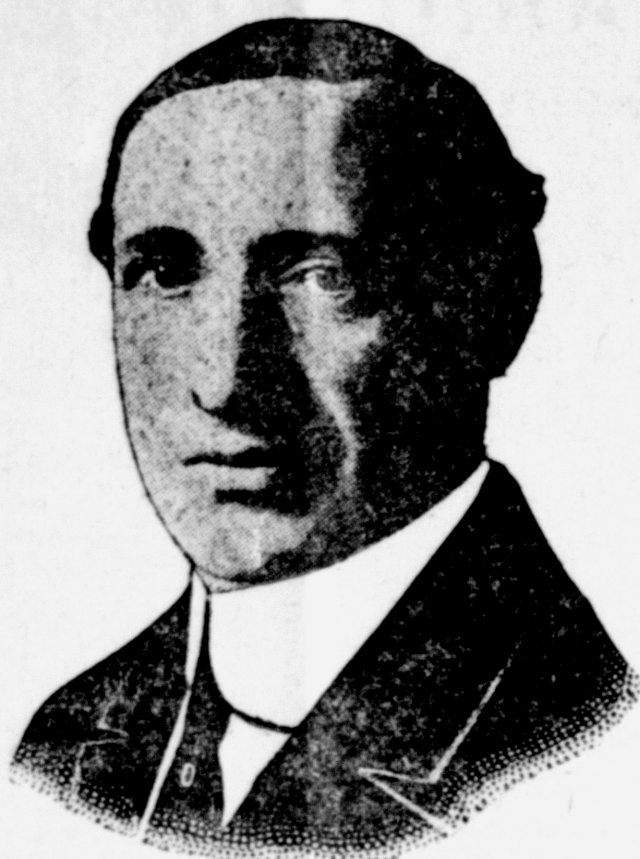
Famous Comedian, says:

"It is a hard job to be a professional comedian, but TUXEDO keeps me in a happy frame of mind. Try a pipe and be sure to smoke TUXEDO."

Lew Fields

Tuxedo Brings Out the Joy-Chuckles

When you hear Lew Fields get off his funny cracks it makes you feel gigglesome all over, doesn't it? There's the same old good-feeling effect about Tuxedo, too. Puff some in a pipe or in a smacking-fresh rolled cigarette and you'll get that joy-tickle running all through your system.



Tuxedo

The Perfect Tobacco for Pipe and Cigarette

Tuxedo is made right—mild and mellow and wholesome—so that you can smoke all you like of it all day long.

No drag or sag, no bite or blister to Tuxedo. That's all taken out by the famous "Tuxedo Process."

Tuxedo is the finest, choicest, creamy-smooth leaves of Kentucky Burley—put up to give you perfect tobacco satisfaction in every particular.

YOU CAN BUY TUXEDO EVERYWHERE

Convenient, glassine wrapped, moisture-proof pouch . . . 5c
Famous Green Tin with gold lettering, curved to fit pocket . . . 10c
In Tin Humidors 40c and 80c In Glass Humidors 50c and 90c

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NORTH SIDE BOTTLING WORKS

True Fruit Beverages

The kind that has distinguished merit.

Appropriate at all times and occasions. They add to the touch of cheerful hospitality to all formal and informal affairs.

Every saloon, grocer, confectioner should carry a stock, and every family should keep it on hand—IN THE ICE BOX.

North Side Bottling Works

La Crosse, Wis.

LIMA IMPERIALS GET INTO MONEY

Ohio Team Rolls 2,697 Last Night in A. B. C. Tourney at Peoria; Maxines Still in Lead

PEORIA, Ill., March 17.—Ten-pin artists from Lima, Ohio; Princeton, Ind.; St. Louis, Mo.; and Grand Rapids, Mich., took the alleys in the doubles and singles today in an assault upon the leading scores in the American Bowling congress tournament. Buffalo, Marshalltown, Iowa, and Burlington, Iowa, also will be represented in the five-men squads tonight.

The Imperials from Lima, Ohio, got into the money last night when they hit the maples for 2,697.

The standing:
Five-men—Maxines, Detroit, 2,697; Peerless, Aurora, 2,745; North Avenue, Chicago, 2,731; Hewitt Rye, St. Louis, 2,705; Imperials, Lima, Ohio, 2,697.

Doubles—Weinold-Mathes, Chicago, 1,233; Taylor-McNulty, Chicago, 1,183; Lutz-Lippert, Chicago, 1,174; Meyers-Peters, Chicago, 1,170; Langmeyer-Deneen, Chicago, 1,158.

Singles—J. Lelling, Chicago, 671; J. N. Schmitz, Aurora, Ill., 658; G. Oberg, Rockford, Ill., 638; J. Wolf, Chicago, 630; A. C. Ball, Detroit, 629.

All events—J. L. Spalding, Taylorville, Ill., 1,848.

MRS. BLANKLEY ENTERTAINS

Mrs. John Blankley, Onalaska, entertained Monday afternoon for Miss Jennie Kriebs of Onalaska, who is to leave soon for California, where she will visit the San Diego exposition and the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco.

Those present were Mrs. Palmer, Berthold, N. D.; Mrs. Staples, Miss Jennie Kriebs, Miss Susan Gills, Miss Harriet Staples and Mrs. John Blankley of Onalaska and Mrs. C. E. Swarts of La Crosse.

POSTPONE BALL HEARING

CHICAGO, March 17.—After a conference between Attorney T. H. Addison of Federal league counsel, and Attorney John Zane, representing the Kansas City stockholders of the 1914 Kaw-Feds, Judge Baldwin today announced that the suit of the Packertown baseball men to restrain the franchise to Newark, would be postponed until Tuesday.

MISSISS MOVED ENTERTAIN

The Young People's society of the Charles street Lutheran church will be entertained this evening in the church parlors by the Misses Eva and Agnes Morkev. A program will be given and refreshments served.

KOPACEK'S HAND INJURED

John Kopacek, employed on the car repair track in the Milwaukee yards, Monday suffered a badly bruised and lacerated left hand. The injury was not serious, according to Dr. Suiter, who attended him.

BAKERY INCORPORATES

Articles of incorporation of the Schulze Baking company were filed today with the secretary of state at Madison. The articles show a capital of \$10,000, with Arthur R. Emma G. and T. Schulze as incorporators.

MILWAUKEE LINE GIVES 700 WORK

Plan Extensive Double Track Work when the Ground Softens

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 17.—(Special.)—J. H. Foster, general superintendent of the Milwaukee road, returning today from Chicago where he was in conference with the general officers, announced a spring program of improvement work in Minneapolis territory that will give employment to 700 men. The work will start as soon as the ground is soft enough, probably within the next week or two.

From Hopkins to Cologne, 22 miles of additional track will be laid, which will give double trackage through from Minneapolis, 51 miles to Cologne. When this work is finished there will be double track over 180 miles of the 285 miles from Minneapolis to Aberdeen, S. D. The intention of the Milwaukee to construct a complete double track system between Minneapolis and Aberdeen was announced two years ago.

Amend "U" Inquiry
ST. PAUL, Minn., March 17.—(Special.)—By a vote of 68 to 57 the house of representatives adopted an amendment to the University of Minnesota investigation resolution yesterday eliminating that section for a special committee and instructing the public accounts and expenditures committee to continue its inquiry.

Follows Stormiest Session
The vote came after the most stormy session since the opening of the present legislature during which personalities were hurled across the chamber, and it was suggested that two members retire to a committee room and decide their personal questions by physical combat.

Dope Users Disappear
Where are the "dope fiends" and where is the "dope" of yesterday.

This is the question which is puzzling Coroner Jones, the police, the heads of St. Paul hospitals and prominent physicians.

Only One Suicide

Fifteen days have passed since the Harrison drug act became effective and only one suicide has been attributed to a craving for drugs. Police reports show that the number of deaths has not increased noticeably, and since the first of the month the police have reported no thefts of narcotics.

Physicians agree that the demand for treatment naturally would be expected to increase, but inquiry among a score of them and at all hospitals resulted in a report that the increase has not been appreciable.

North Side Briefs

O'Neil Shoe Store, Spring models \$3 Mr. and Mrs. Gus Butzmann, 1128 Loomis street, are the parents of a baby boy.

Joseph Kuschel, St. Paul, is transacting business on the north side.

Jack Kerrigan is again able to be about, after having been confined to

Dandruff Heads Become Hairless

If you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff, for it will starve your hair and ruin it if you don't.

It doesn't do much good to try to brush or wash it out. The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning most, if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop, and your hair will look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and four ounces is all you will need, no matter how much dandruff you have. This simple remedy never fails.

BURROWS 407-409 MAIN STREET

TWOSNAPPY BARGAINS

Here are two very special offers for tomorrow's selling. Our store has many such attractive items.

All Wool Serge Dresses; navy, black and copen, military effect, flare skirt and two embroidered pockets. Very special \$5.85

Spring Suits made in all wool basket cloth material, lined throughout with peau de cygne. Coat has belt all around. Flaring skirt with pocket. Comes in all the new shades. A rare bargain at \$12.50. Very special at \$7.50

his home, 1411 George street, with illness.

Thomas Fog, 1541 Wood street, left today for Nebraska for a few weeks' visit with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Ferdinand Botz has moved her household furniture from Par-deville, Wis., to 1418 Berlin street.

Mr. Reed, who has been confined to one of the local hospitals with illness, has returned to his home at 1205 Kane street.

Mrs. Schonfeldt has returned to her home in Alma, Wis., after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Butzmann, 1728 Loomis street.

Arthur Burns has returned to Savanna, after spending the past few days at his home, 1102 Rose street.

Mrs. E. M. Malony, 517 Windsor street, has left for Brownsville, where she was called by the death of a relative.

I. B. Miller, 712 Caledonia street, is slowly recovering from the illness which has confined him to his home.

Mrs. Robert Gifford's division of the North Presbyterian church held

a coffee this afternoon in the church parlors.

Bartel Weber, Milwaukee road switchman, has returned from a brief visit to Baraboo.

Casper Luther, 429 Berlin street, night car inspector in the Milwaukee yards, is confined to his home by illness.

SAMARITANS MEET TODAY

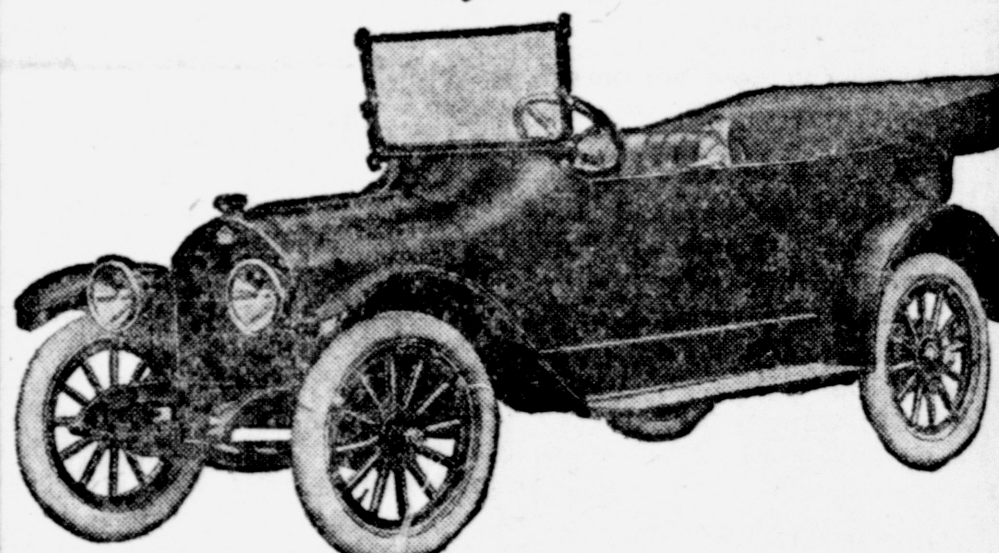
Mrs. William Winell entertained the Good Samaritans this afternoon at her home, 1549 Berlin street, in the regular bi-weekly meeting of the organization. Two members were to be installed at the meeting.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children In Use For Over 30 Years Always bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Platten*

THE \$1058 IMPERIAL

"Always in Service"



POWER: This 1915 Imperial, with Continental Motor has a surplus of power. What pleasure it is to feel you are master of excess power and to go wherever you will without changing gears.

COMFORT: The 1915 Imperial is the last word in comfort. Lots of room, long, easy riding springs; extra long wheelbase. The right balance of weight.

SPEED: Three to fifty miles per hour at your pleasure.

PRICE: \$1085. You can get cheaper cars but they are like cheaper shoes, cheaper clothes, cheaper horses or cheaper cows. The Imperial is the most economical in the end and therefore the best buy.

S. G. BERLING

409 N. Third St.

La Crosse, Wis.

MRS. WHEATON TO REPORT

Mrs. Earl Wheaton, delegate from New Century Hive, No. 101, of the north side, to the state convention at Madison, March 3, will read her report at a social and business meeting of the hive to be held in Woodman hall, Rose and St. James streets, Friday night.

The hive will be entertained by

the circle of Mrs. J. P. Mattox. Refreshments will be served.

BUTTERFIELD IS INJURED

William Butterfield, Milwaukee road employee, smashed a finger on his right hand while at work on the repair track in the north side yards of the road. He is unable to work.

GAS! GAS! INDIGESTION, SOURNESS, SICK STOMACH—PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN

Here's relief! In five minutes your upset stomach feels fine.

If you feel bloated after eating and you believe it is the food which fills you; if what little you eat lies like a lump of lead on your stomach; if there is difficulty in breathing after eating, eructations of sour, undigested food and acid, heartburn, brash or a belching of gas, you need Pape's Diapepsin to stop food fermentation and indigestion. It neutralizes excessive acid, stomach poison, absorbs that misery-making gas and stops fermentation which causes your entire meal and causes dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Bloating, Constipation, Griping, etc. Your real and only trouble is that which you eat does not digest, but quickly ferments and sours, producing almost any unhealthy condition.

A case of Pape's Diapepsin will cost fifty cents at any pharmacy here, and will convince any stomach sufferer in five minutes that fermentation and Sour Stomach is causing the misery of indigestion.

No matter if you call your trouble Catarrh of the Stomach, Nervousness or Gastritis, or by any other name—always remember that relief is waiting at any drug store the moment you decide to begin its use. Pape's Diapepsin will regulate any out-of-door stomach within five minutes, and digest promptly, without any fuss or discomfort, all of any kind of food you eat.

SEMI-MONTHLY PAY HELPS RAIL MEN

Approximately twenty employees of the Milwaukee road are affected by a law passed Monday by the Iowa legislature compelling railroads to pay their employees twice instead of once a month. The order will apply to many men running into La Crosse but who are paid at Dubuque or Marion.

Livestock shippers in Iowa will hereafter ride like princes. A law was passed Monday forcing railroads to furnish shippers with sleeping cars when shipments are made at night. The cost of complying with these laws, railroad officials estimate, will run into the hundreds of thousands of dollars annually.

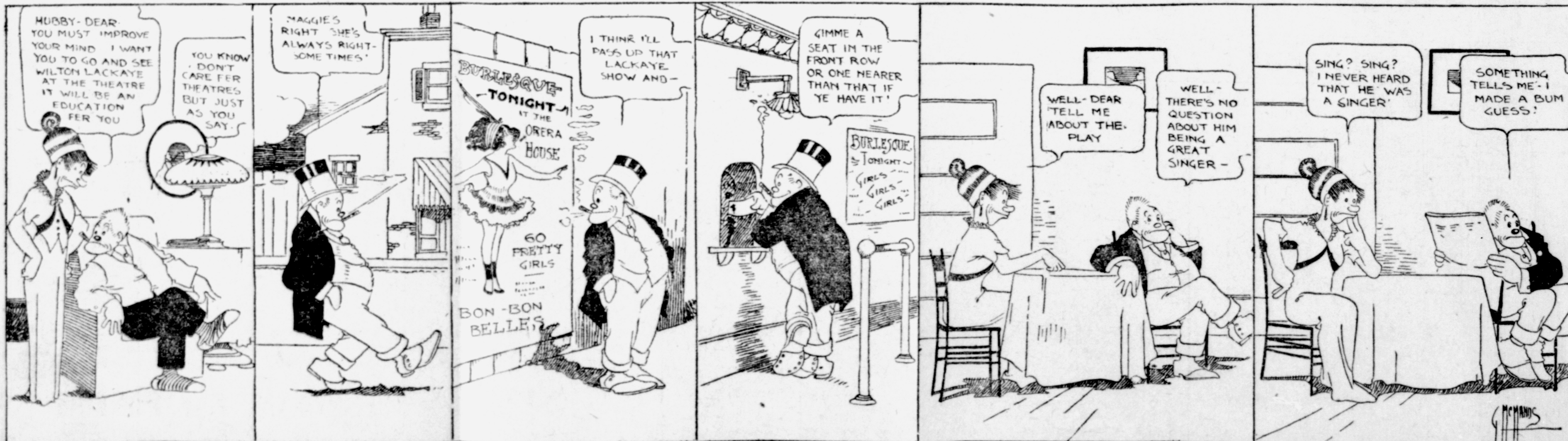
VALUABLE SILKS HANDLED
Six cars of silk worth about \$500,000 were handled yesterday by the Burlington road, the train arriving from the north at 1 o'clock. The cargo was bound for eastern points.

Delicate Children
usually only need a food tonic to make them strong and healthy
Rexall Olive Oil Emulsion
is not only the best food tonic but is pleasant to take. Sold only by us.
O. T. Ernst.

BRINGING UP FATHER

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By GEORGE McMANUS



UNLOADING TODAY

CAR FANCY BALDWIN APPLES

CAR FANCY BEN DAVIS APPLES

CAR FANCY SUNKIST ORANGES

JOHN C. BURNS
FRUIT HOUSE

"After All Has Been Said About Coal,



it is still coal," said a man to us. We did not argue the point with him, but sent him a ton of our Washed Egg coal; now he knows the difference and admits it. Are you of the same opinion? If you are, let us send you a ton and convince you also.

Whitebreast Coal Co.

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EXCLUSIVE GARMENT STORE
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LAWYERS

LA CROSSE, WIS.

Our Freight Delivery Service gets your freight to you as soon as it arrives. You need not bother looking after it; phone us and we will watch for it and deliver it to any part of the city.

GATEWAY CITY TRANSFER CO.
BOTH PHONES 179

"TOP OFF"

your spring clothes with a

La Crosse Hat

You'll be one of the crowd.

La Crosse Hat Works, 526 Main

LaCrosse Theatre
TONIGHT 8:15THE
CANDY SHOPPrices 50c to \$1.50
Seats Selling

SPOTLIGHTS

IT'S NO LAUGHING MATTER

The photoplay, "It's No Laughing Matter" starring Maclyn Arbuckle, is ready for the public, to delight audiences eager for comedy.

Maclyn Arbuckle is one of the most famous comedians on the Am-

Standard Remedy
For Many Homes

Indigestion and constipation are two conditions closely related and the cause of much physical suffering.

The tendency to indulge one's appetite is general, so that most people suffer at some time or another from rebellion of the overtaxed organs of digestion and elimination. A simple, pleasantly effective remedy that will quickly relieve the congestion of poisonous waste and restore regularity, is the combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin, sold in drug stores under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. This is a mild, pleasant laxative-herb and digestant, absolutely free from opiates or narcotic drugs and has been the standard household remedy in countless homes for many years. A free trial bottle can be obtained by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 452 Washington St., Monticello, Ills.

Personals

B. A. Yeomen dance Tuesday. H. J. Sylling, Spring Grove, Minn., called on friends in the city yesterday.

John O. Thorud, Peterson, Minn., was a caller in the city for a short time yesterday.

G. T. Bergh, Spring Grove, transacted business in the city between trains yesterday.

J. C. Graf, Freeburg, Minn., has returned after spending some time in the city yesterday.

Mrs. A. Wangsle, Spring Grove, called on friends in the city yesterday.

E. F. U. meeting and dance Wednesday, March 17. Put on your green and come and have a good time. No better way to celebrate St. Patrick's day.

W. D. Case, Canton, Minn., spent a few hours in the city yesterday on business.

E. S. Erickson, Houston, Minn., was a La Crosse caller yesterday.

E. J. Luethege, St. Paul, transacted business in the city for a few hours yesterday.

M. J. Phalin, Soldiers Grove, Wis., spent yesterday in the city on business.

H. A. Strohm, Chicago, was a business caller in the city yesterday.

S. K. Bergseth, Eleva, Wis., called on friends in the city yesterday.

\$20,000 to loan in amounts from \$1,000 to \$2,000 at 5 per cent on La Crosse real estate. Inquire of B. F. Voiz, new phone 426-A, or 212 State Bank building.

Carl Hendrickson has returned to his home in Holmen, after spending yesterday in the city.

Leonard Tracy, Viroqua, has returned from a brief business trip to La Crosse.

J. A. Gullickson, Holmen, was a business caller in the city for a short time yesterday.

John Devlin, Viroqua, called on business friends in the city Monday and Tuesday.

O. A. Ekern, Holmen, has returned from a visit in La Crosse.

P. R. A. meeting Thursday, dance. Refreshments. Ladies' night. Members may invite outsiders.

P. Bouffleur has returned to his home in Chasburg, after spending a few hours in the city yesterday.

Robert Canfield, Sparta, was the guest of friends in the city yesterday.

J. E. Jefferson, Chicago, transacted business in the city yesterday.

John Evans, North Eighth street, is spending the week with relatives in Bangor.

W. C. Hayes, Winona, was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Edward McVey, La Farge, Wis., was the guest of friends and relatives in the city Monday and Tuesday.

Shoe Repairing. Men's soles 65c. Women's soles 50c. C. Rediske, 507 North Twelfth street.

Archie Aarness has returned to his home in Westby, after spending a few hours in the city yesterday.

Raymond Keeler, student at the University of Wisconsin, spent the week-end at his home, 216 North Seventh street.

Rev. J. C. Bantly, Brush, Minn., was in the city yesterday. He officiated at the funeral of Peter Brant.

Arthur W. Michaelson, of 1915 Prospect street, and Miss Leafy Davis, today obtained a license to wed.

A. L. Freilberg, New Albion, Iowa, was a business visitor here yesterday.

Oscar Olson, Canton, Minn., spent yesterday at a local hotel.

H. G. Simpkins, Viroqua, Wis., spent yesterday here transacting business.

Hack and baggage calls made. Gateway City Trfr. Co. Phone 179.

Leon Coleman, Eau Claire, spent yesterday in La Crosse with friends.

B. W. Davis, Lone Rock, Wis., was a visitor in the city yesterday.

L. K. Tifton, Richland Center, Wis., returned to his home today after a business call in the city.

Mrs. C. Mourke, Baraboo, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Beck, 1222 State street.

Miss Sybil Clemens is slowly recovering from the illness, which has confined her to her home, 615 Jackson street, for the past few days.

Mrs. Paul Wren, who has been the guest of friends in St. Paul, has returned to her home, 319 South Fifth street.

Fay Copey, Ferryville, who has signed up to play this season with the Athletics, was in the city yesterday, visiting other members of the team.

Born, yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baumgartner, French Island, a daughter, at the home of H. H. Mercier, 1433 Badger street. Mother and child are doing nicely.

CARD OF THANKS.
We wish to thank the following lodges for their prompt payment of death claims: Royal Neighbors, Mystic Workers, Vikings and Daughters of Norway.

OLAF BROWN AND FAMILY.

EXAMINE GERMAN BOAT

WASHINGTON, March 17.—The naval board which examined the Prinz Eitel Friedrich to determine how long it needs for repairs reported today. It will be kept secret until the Eitel's departure.

CHICAGO HAS 789,041 Voters

CHICAGO, March 17.—There will be 789,041 Chicagoans eligible to cast ballots in the municipal election of April 6, according to today's returns from yesterday's registrations by which the number of eligible voters was swelled by 123,135. Of the later number 67,912 are women. Of the total number of eligible voters, revisions showed today that 286,624 are women. The registration figures today give Chicago the largest number of voters in its history.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 17.—The state legislature is costing the state \$3,452 a day, according to figures announced today.

A DIAMOND is always a good investment.

Prices of diamonds have advanced annually from 5 per cent up. There are several reasons for this, chief of which is that while the demand for diamonds is ever growing, the yield of the mines is only about one-third of what it was a few years ago.

Come and see what we have to offer. We think you can never duplicate any diamond purchase you may make here.

W. T. IRVINE, 429 Main Street

CONTINENTAL HAS
UNIQUE CAMPAIGN

Energetic Boys Can Win Valuable Prizes in Contest to Be Held by Big Store

Something different in the line of popularity contests was introduced today when Henry N. Boehm, manager of the Continental Clothing House, launched his big popularity contest for boys under the age of 18 years.

Now, boys, here is a golden opportunity to prove your ability as hustlers. The prizes are worthy of your very best efforts. For instance, there is that automobile. Not a toy, no indeedy, but a real, honest-to-goodness car that can make 45 miles an hour on a decent road. If you had to buy it, you would have to pay \$395 for it. It's in their big show window, see it for yourselves.

The second prize is a 1915 model bicycle, and it's a dandy. Has a coaster brake, 22-inch frame, and one that you will be proud to own. The third prize is a valuable camera, complete with tripod. Think of the fun you can have taking pictures. The fourth prize is a "Scorcher" steel automobile. Looks like a regular car, and it's a dandy. The fifth prize is a "Clipper" high grade velocipede, well made, and a valuable prize.

The prizes will all be displayed in their different show windows within a very few days, or as soon as the windows can be properly arranged. Look them over, then go into the store and find out how you can become the owner of one of them. Act quick! Every minute is precious.

DEATH IN TRAIL
OF BROKEN WHEEL

Thirty-five Ton Flywheel Bursts at High Speed in South Chicago Rail Mill

CHICAGO, March 17.—Bruno Oleschek, a workman, was instantly killed today and from two to seven men were badly injured, some perhaps fatally, when a fly wheel on a dummy engine in the rail mill of the Illinois Steel company, at South Chicago, broke, scattering thirty-five tons of steel about the shop. The accident happened about four o'clock while the rail mill was running full blast. Police estimates of the damage place it at \$50,000 or more. The dummy engine was used to shift the steel between furnaces. Cause of the accident is not known.

The engine is a stationary one. The fly wheel weighs thirty-five tons. It was making countless revolutions a minute when it broke loose. It was hurled part way across the room and then through the roof, which collapsed.

George Bangston, a workman, was terribly crushed by the falling debris. He is not expected to live.

Superintendent of Safety A. H. Young said the accident was one of the worst the plant has suffered in twenty-five years. Officials of the company refused to comment on the accident until after a complete investigation has been made.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
State of Wisconsin.—In Probate—La Crosse County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Catherine Ross, late of the Town of Campbell, in said County, deceased.

Letters of administration in said matter having been granted to Henry Lueth, of La Crosse, La Crosse County, Wisconsin, notice is hereby given that six months after the twenty-third day of February, A. D. 1915, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance; and that said Court will on the 7th day of September, A. D. 1915, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of said County, in the Courthouse in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.

Dated this 23rd day of February, 1915.

By the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

MORRIS & HARTWELL,
Attorneys for Administrator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
State of Wisconsin.—In Probate—La Crosse County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Doretta Sprehn, late of the Village of West Salem, in said County, deceased.

Letters of administration in said matter having been granted to George D. Sprain, of West Salem, Wisconsin, notice is hereby given that six months after the 9th day of March, A. D. 1915, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance; and that said Court will on the 5th day of October, A. D. 1915, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of said County, in the Courthouse in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.

Dated this 9th day of March, 1915.

By the Court,
HON. JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

W. F. & A. C. WOLFE,
Attorneys for Administrator.

PALMER MADE JUDGE

WASHINGTON, March 17.—President Wilson today signed a recess appointment to A. Mitchell Palmer as judge of the court of claims.

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YOUR
INSPECTION

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Catherine Fleece
Cor. Eleventh and Winnebago St.



Society

HAVE MISSIONARY PROGRAM

The Ladies' society of St. John's Reformed church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon in the church parlors. A missionary program will be carried out in which Mrs. Magdalena Knoff will discuss the topic, "The Mission in the Congregation." Mrs. Magdalena Schams will give an appropriate reading. Mrs. Katherine Ahrens and Mrs. Louise Scheel will entertain.

LORD LYTTON TOPIC

Lord Bulwer Lytton and George Eliot were the topics discussed by the Twentieth Century club, which was entertained yesterday by Mesdames J. L. Callahan and H. C. Burroughs at the home of Mrs. Callahan.

Mrs. C. W. Lewis was leader, and G. H. Brettnall gave a biographical sketch of the life of Lord Lytton. Mrs. A. M. Bravton reviewed "The Last of the Barons," Lord Lytton's last book.

Mrs. J. A. L. Bradfield reviewed the life of George Eliot, following which Prof. H. M. Sherwood gave an interesting talk upon the life and writings of Leopold von Ranke, the distinguished German historian.

CHURCH ENTERTAINMENTS

The Woman's Union of the First Congregational church will be entertained Thursday at the church parlors at supper. The entertaining ladies will be Mrs. Julius Westby.

Mrs. John Schleiter, Mrs. John G. Robb, Mrs. W. P. Roseman, Mrs. Leslie Raymond, Mrs. C. A. Olberg, Mrs. Leonard Kleeber and Mrs. Maud Batchelder. Friends of the congregation are invited.

The Woman's Auxiliary of Christ Episcopal church will be entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Elizabeth McKowan at the home of Mrs. William Torrance, 1231 Madison street, at 2:30.

The Woman's Guild of Christ Episcopal church will be entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. J. Hirschheimer.

The B. F. C. of the German Methodist church held a social meeting last night at the home of Herbert Henker, Park Avenue.

500 PARTY

Mrs. R. A. Meissner entertained at five hundred at her home at 812 La Crosse street, Monday evening. Three tables were played and prizes were taken by Mesdames F. Falb and J. C. Hart.

SURPRISE PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. F. Stellick were surprised Saturday evening by a number of their friends at a hard times party. The time was passed in playing cards. The head prizes were won by Mr. A. Fuchs, and the booby by Mr. H. Naylor. Mrs. Selke took the ladies' head prize and Mrs. Jansen, the booby. Music was furnished by Miss F. Miller. A fine lunch was served at a late hour.

Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames Jansen, Selke, Jonas, Naylor, Anderson, Harder, Mrs. Bohl, the Misses Meta and Clara Gaedy, Emma Roesner, Christina and Mary Jonas, Emma Stellick, Alvin Padesky, Tillie Miller, Myrtle Keppler, Marie Bohl; Messrs. J. Konop, A. Fuchs, John Schowel, George, Frank and Charlie Stellick.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY
OBSERVED AT FRONT

LONDON, March 17.—St. Patrick's day was not forgotten in the trenches in northern France and Flanders. Thousands of sprigs of shamrock, forwarded to the front a few days ago, were distributed to British soldiers today.

In London thousands of women many members of the nobility, headed by the Countess of Limerick, were on the streets, in the shops and at the railway stations disposing of 300,000 shamrocks. The proceeds are to be used to buy articles for the British soldiers at the front.

Daily Thought.
Let us wipe out the past, trust in the future—and rejoice in the glorious Now.



Here's Your Pound
of Coffee, Madam!



Here's Your 100 Grains
of Caffeine, Doctor

Same Drug—Different Form

More and more, it is becoming common knowledge that an ordinary cup of coffee contains about 2½ grains of caffeine, an irritating drug.

Because of this drug, coffee drinking frequently races the heart, interferes with digestion, upsets the nerves, and leaves one weakened and depressed. As a drug, caffeine has medicinal value, but only when administered by a competent physician.

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**M'CORMICK TALKS
OF SUMMER SCHOOL
AT "HIGH" TODAY**

Laggards and Loafers to Be
Barred He Says; More
Than 300 Expected
to Enter

Laggards and loafers and those who go to school merely for fun are not wanted in the La Crosse summer school. Only such pupils as really wish to get ahead will be tolerated.

This was the announcement of Principal B. E. McCormick of the high school, in speaking of his plans before the general assembly of the school today. He said further that pupils who waste their time during regular semesters with the idea of catching up during the summer months will not be accommodated in the summer schools.

The plan of a summer school for high school pupils is not new. It has been advanced in previous years but not enough names were obtained to make it a success. The action of the Parents' and Teachers' association in recommending the school to the board is largely responsible for its existence this year. If the six weeks of school this summer bring good results, the plan will be the summer school.

According to Mr. McCormick at least two hundred pupils must signify their intention to take up work in order to make the plan a success. There have, however, been many more names handed in already so he expects an attendance of nearly three hundred this summer.

Absolutely no fee will be charged for attendance. La Crosse pupils, for the first time in history, will be given the advantages of a free summer school. Any subject will be taken up provided a large enough class demands it.

Each student attending will be allowed to take up two subjects only during one summer, as the amount of time demanded for each subject makes more than that number too hard on the student.

School will be called at eight o'clock every morning and will continue until noon. There will be four periods, each of one hour's duration. Pupils will not be required to stay in school during the whole session as they will be asked to report for classes only and will be allowed to do all studying at home. Study rooms will be provided, however, for those who wish to study in school. No classes, with the exception of Manual training and science classes, will recite in the afternoon.

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Basketball and Football

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TONIGHT
"FORTUNES OF MARGARET"
"HOW MARY FIXED IT"
"NIMBLE DOLLAR"
Matinee 2 and 3. Evening, 7, 8 and 9.

THE CASINO
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Butts"

A story of a reform that failed. And another of those great George Ade fables in pictures in four reels.

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2. "FINE FEATHERS MAKE FINE BIRDS"
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**MRS. PENNYBACKER
MAY COME HERE**

Head of National Club-
women's Federation May
Attend State Conven-
tion Next Fall

Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker, president of the National Federation of Women's clubs, with which the Twentieth Century club and the La Crosse Women's club are affiliated, may attend the state convention of Women's clubs in this city in the autumn.

Mrs. Pennybacker is perhaps the most gifted woman orator of her time, and should she come to La Crosse it will be necessary to secure a theater to accommodate her audience.

Mrs. Pennybacker has twice visited Eastern Wisconsin, but has never appeared in the Western part of the state, and the effort to secure her presence has reached a hopeful stage.

Ice Cream Men Compete
"And yet," reminds Mr. Moran, "there are some farmers who will 'fall' for the extra high prices which ice cream manufacturers are willing to pay them during the few summer months, and then blame us for not competing with them for the short length of time."

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**GERMAN OFFICIAL
DENIES VIVIANI'S
CHARGE OF RUIN**

Formally Brands as Non-
sense French Premier's
Statement of German
Economic Danger

BERLIN, via Wireless to Sayville, L. I., March 17.—Dr. Delbrueck, acting prime minister of Prussia, today made a formal denial of the truth of certain statements made by Rene Viviani, French prime minister, in an interview granted William Philip Simms, United Press representative at Paris.

Dr. Delbrueck told the Prussian upper house that Premier Viviani's statement to the United Press that Germany was on the verge of financial and economic ruin was sheer nonsense. He pointed to the excellent organization of German credit, the increase in the gold reserves and the heavy traffic on German railroads as discrediting Viviani's statements.

German mines and factories continue to operate successfully, said Dr. Delbrueck and the products of German farms are ample to supply Germany's needs.

**FARM CO-OPERATION
HELPS BUTTER MEN
REDUCE EXPENSES**

(Continued from Page One.)

In its history, it was not the largest butter producing concern in Wisconsin—which means the largest butter making concern in the United States. For twenty-two years, the farmers had been producing cream the same as some farmers raise chickens. They were willing to make what they could, and did not believe in the "theorist," who in this case was the co-operator. Now and then some community would wake up to the fact that it could double their earnings and a new co-operative plant would spring up, but the farmers did not co-operate to the extent that the West Salem concern lost any of its business. For this length of time, it held the record in the state, and an enviable record it was.

Salem is Now Third
"Last year they finally awoke to the value of co-operation," said Mr. Moran, "and now we have to take third place." Barron, Wis., holds first place among the creameries of the state. Baldwin, Wis., is second and West Salem is third.

West Salem covers a radius reaching within two miles of La Crosse and within four miles of Sparta, and like distances in the other directions. Approximately four hundred farmers are members. Due to the fact that the concern has members in this big area, the new "co-op" creameries, springing up now are bound to take some proportion of the business away from it.

West Salem had one of the first, if not the first co-operative creamery in Wisconsin. Gradually, in this territory, Chasaburg, Viroqua, Minn., Holmen, Sparta, Bangor and Rockland started out on similar ventures, and all have been highly successful.

One plan of remuneration followed by the company, and a system which has proven itself successful is that of paying the farmer the whole amount received from the sale of butter produced from his cream, minus the running expenses of the plant. Some other plants which do not pursue this policy pay annual or semi-annual dividends. The West Salem concern pays the farmer in cash each month, following receipts for butter sold.

Butter Tests "A No. 1"
A remarkable fact of which few creameries in the United States can brag is the classification of West Salem butter. Without a single exception in the last eight years, the butter produced under the management of Moran has been listed in the "extras" class by eastern buyers. No sentiment is exercised in giving West Salem butter this classification, and the name "extra" is honestly earned.

Benefit Has Wide Scope
What is the big benefit of this concern, and who are the beneficiaries? is a question frequently asked. Here is one answer that holds attention: Farm property in the vicinity of West Salem has increased approximately fifty per cent in valuation, since the coming of the "co-ops." Probably the largest benefit is one which naturally falls to the farmer—is the assured income which the producer knows is his from one year's end to the other.

"Our members know," points out Mr. Moran, "that they are not making big corporation heads wealthy with the earnings of their products, and that they are getting, in simple words, what they produce, of course taking into consideration the small cost of handling."

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**LA CROSSE TO PAY
ALMOST \$100,000
OF COUNTY TAXES**

Treasurer Lunde Makes Up
Statement of Receipts
Today Showing Towns
and Villages

La Crosse's share of county tax this year is \$98,530.81. The entire tax paid Ole Lunde, county treasurer, is \$169,456.77 according to a report by Mr. Lunde today. The county is delinquent in the sum of \$2,202.67.

Income tax paid in La Crosse county outside the city of La Crosse is \$713.11. Of this amount \$499.31 is retained by the towns, villages and cities.

Following are the taxes paid by towns, villages and cities:

Town of Bangor, \$4,665.86; Barre, \$4,494.93; Burns, \$7,177.51; Campbell, \$4,156.72; Farmington, \$9,160.41; Greenfield, \$3,758.24; Hamilton, \$8,936.13; Holland, \$5,750.19; Onalaska, \$5,384.05; Shelby, \$5,186.01; Washington, \$5,060.82; village of Bangor, \$2,473.92; West Salem, \$3,147.12; city of Onalaska, \$1,755.05 and the city of La Crosse, \$98,530.81.

ROBERT BARNEY AT REST.

The funeral of Robert Barney, resident of La Crosse, who died Monday morning in Eau Claire, was held at 10 o'clock this morning from St. Mary's church, the son, Rev. John A. Barney of Eau Claire, officiating. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery.

activity around the building. There's a reason.

That reason is that everything is done when it should be done, and nothing is left undone. One of the gatherers drives up to the rear of the plant. The tops of his hermetically sealed cream cans are slightly below the level of the door on the second floor through which they are to be hoisted. Everything is prepared. The big tank in which the cream is first poured is as clean as a whistle and no movements are necessary before it can receive the cream. Hooks are placed on the cream cans and they are hoisted to the level of the floor and emptied into the tank.

Before the gatherer leaves each farm with his cream, samples are taken by him and placed in marked bottles. These are retained in a small closed tin box, which is sealed with hot water when the plant is reached.

Testing Room Always Ready
While the cream is being poured into the tank ready for the "ripening" the most important department of the factory is put into operation.

This is the testing room where the real test of the cream for butter fat is made. Many intelligent persons, not acquainted with the workings of a creamery are of the opinion that "cream is cream," but the tester soon proves that cream is not always cream. Once in a while the tester weighs a sample of the chief product of Wisconsin to find that it contains thirty-eight or sometimes even more per cent of butter fat, and sometimes he finds that the cream has as low as fourteen per cent or even less of the valuable element.

Tester is Farm Barometer
"As Ye Sow, So Shall Ye Reap," holds good with the cream producer, and the reaping is marked in the testing room of the creamery. As each sample is tested, the operator places the amount of butter fat in each against the credit of the farmer who produced it. At the end of each month, the tests are averaged, and the farmer reaps a remuneration according to the manner of sowing, which represents the way he has fed and cared for his stock.

When the wagon load is emptied into the tank, another test is made and then it is allowed to run through a set of sterilized pipes and conductors into the "ripeners." These are tanks with sealed revolving pipes containing hot salt brine. When properly soured, cold water is turned into the pipes and the cream keeps until ready to be churned into the finished product.

It was mentioned in this article that West Salem butter had been in the "extra" class for eight years. For this length of time, H. B. Oakes has had charge of the making of the butter, and it is through his ability that the butter has been given a mark of ninety-three per cent, a record seldom excelled.

In their disposal of buttermilk, the West Salem plant proves itself a co-operative concern within a co-operative concern. The farmers are allowed each month to place their names on the "buttermilk list," and they are allowed to buy back the buttermilk as their turns come.

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**BOOZE IS SUBJECT
OF TEASDALE AT
GALESVILLE MEET**

Chairman of Vice Probe
Commission Speaks to
Three Church Audiences
and at Opera House

GALESVILLE, Wis., March 17.—(Special.)—Senator Howard Teasdale, Sparta, chairman of the Wisconsin vice commission, addressed three separate audiences at the Presbyterian church Sunday.

In the evening he spoke to a large audience at the opera house. Senator Teasdale spoke on temperance at each meeting.

Celebrates Anniversary
Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Chappell entertained two hundred friends at their home in the town of Caledonia Saturday night. The occasion was their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary.

Gale College Entertainment
Students of Gale college here will give an entertainment Friday night. The program which will be rendered, follows:

Musical—Orchestra.
Piano solo—Gudrum Saeveit.
Reading, "A Real Lady"—Mildred Sonne.

Song, "My Dream"—Mixed quartette.

Piano Trio, Dichter and Bauer—Mildred Hagestad, Cora Brekke and Mildred Sonne.

Vocal, (a) "Jeg Elsker Dig"; (b), "Margarettes Vuguesang".

Piano quartette, "Marche Militaire"—1st piano, Marie Jacobson, Mildred Berg; 2nd piano, Edna Bergseth, Feranda Urberg.

Reading, "A Change of Front"—Ruth Halvorsen.

Song, "The Stormy Evening"—Mixed Glee club.

Farce, "Mrs. Gadabout's Busy Day"—Mrs. Gadabout, Mildred Hagestad; Mr. Gadabout, James Hagestad; Bridget, Mabel Nelson.

Piano Duo, "Il ravodere de Verdi"—1st piano, Marie Hoslett; 2nd piano, Ruth Hammer.

Vocal, "Thought Fancies"—Nina Gullickson.

Instrumental Trio, "Meditation"—Violin, Henry Slater; piano, Olga Hovre; organ, Miss Jacobson.

Reading, "All in the Point of View"—Ralph Birkeness.

Norwegian Drill—Eight girls.

Piano Quartette, "Parting"—1st piano, Marie Gimmedstad, Marie Hos-

lett; 2nd piano, Olga Hovre, Valborg Thorsen.

Musical—Orchestra.

Presbytery Meets
The Presbytery of the La Crosse district will meet at Mauston April 13 and 14.

Personals
J. O. Halderson is improving.

Miss Fannie Parker left Monday for the Pacific coast.

The W. C. T. U. met at the Kilmer-Stone residence Tuesday afternoon. Subject, "Ballots and the Liquor Trade."

Marinus Olson has bought the Hauge building on the east side of the public square for \$3,700.

Mrs. George Rall is suffering severely from a broken arm.

FOR BRONCHITIS AND COUGHS

use Schiffmann's Concentrated Expectorant, 2 ounces make a full pint at home, and if not found the best remedy ever used, your money will be refunded by Geo. E. Mariner's drug store.

**TELEPHONE GIRLS
CONVENING HERE
FOR 'PHONE SCHOOL**

Operators for Independent
Lines Gather at La Crosse
to Discuss Service Meth-
ods and Betterments

Telephone operators in the service of the La Crosse Telephone company together with those of adjacent territory were gathered here yesterday and today for a practical school of instruction conducted by W. S. Vivian of Chicago.

Mr. Vivian is secretary of the Independent Telephone Association of America and as such devotes considerable time to standardizing independent telephone service about the country in the larger centers.

Headquarters for the session was at the Stoddard hotel where switchboards were set up in the parlors and practical demonstrations with instructions were given in the proper manner of handling long distance calls, voice and courtesy as best suited to please the telephone patrons.

The school was entertained last evening at a theater party with refreshments later by the La Crosse Telephone Co.

The school is in line with the policy of the Independent Telephone association to create systematic training and operating methods among the telephone operators as well as a feeling of good fellowship and co-operation among employees.

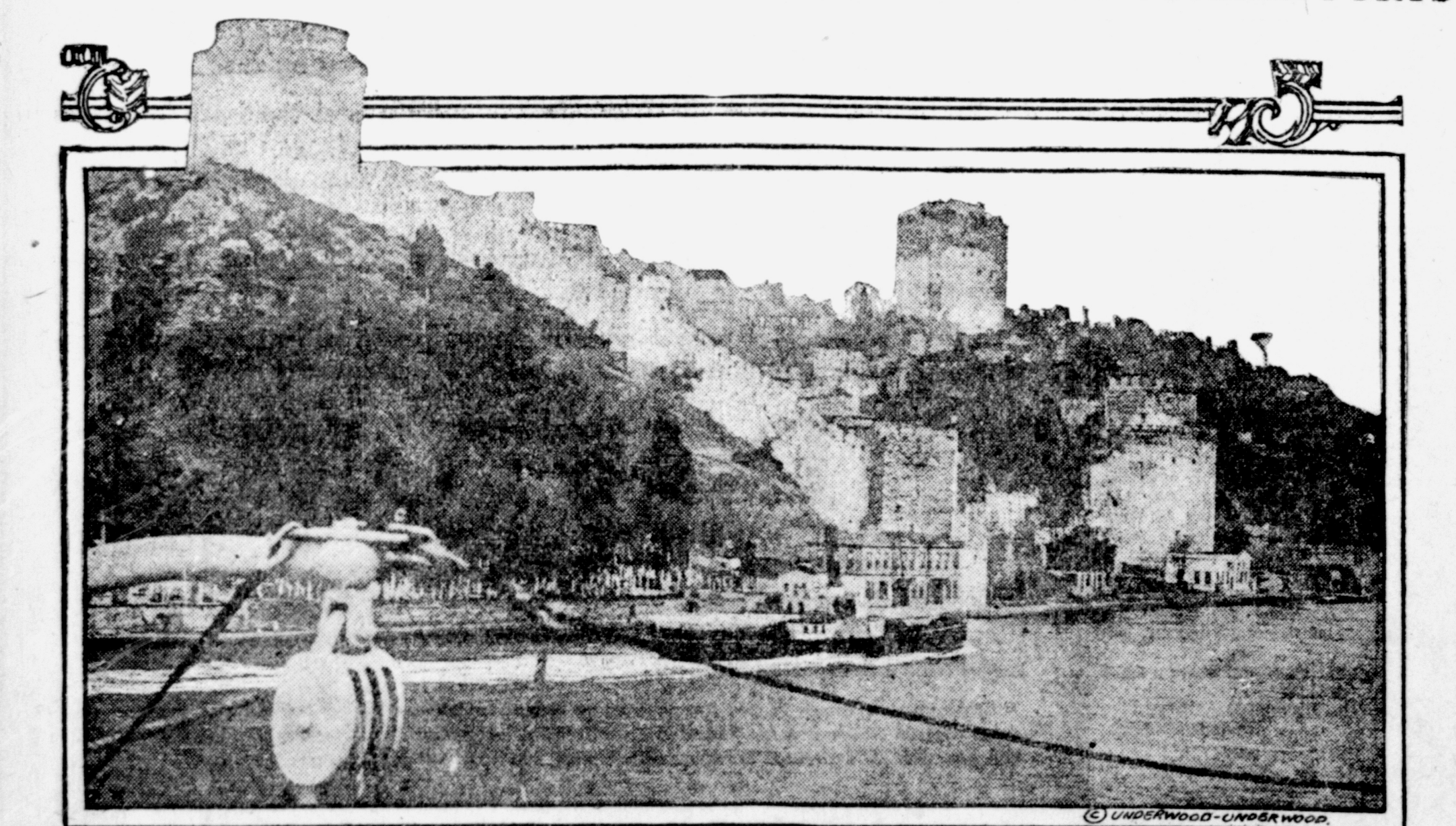
JUNGEN CHILD DIES

George, the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Jungen, of 1503 Johnson street, died yesterday afternoon at 1:30 of an affection of the brain, with which he had been ill for more than a year. The funeral will be held tomorrow at two o'clock from the home and at 2:30 from the Holy Trinity church, Rev. Fr. Riesterer officiating. Interment will be made in the Catholic cemetery.

MRS. JUHL AT REST
The funeral of Mrs. Herman Juhl, who died Sunday in a Milwaukee hospital, was held at 1:30 yesterday afternoon from the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. Rosenberg, 520 South Ninth street. Burial was made in the Jewish cemetery. Survivors are Mrs. Rosenberg of La Crosse, and Mrs. Sime of Galesville, daughters, and one son, J. Juhl of Minneapolis.

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**VIEW IN THE NARROWS OF THE DARDANELLES
WHERE FLEET IS BATTERING AT TURKISH FORTS**



The picture above shows one of the ancient fortresses guarding the narrows of the Dardanelles, through which the allied fleet must pass before descending upon Constantinople. Although of obsolete design the Dardanelles forts are equipped with modern Krupp guns, which reports say are manned by German artillerymen. Passing the narrows so far has proven a problem too large for the allied squadron, which is held several miles from the entrance of the roadstead by the fire of the German gunners.

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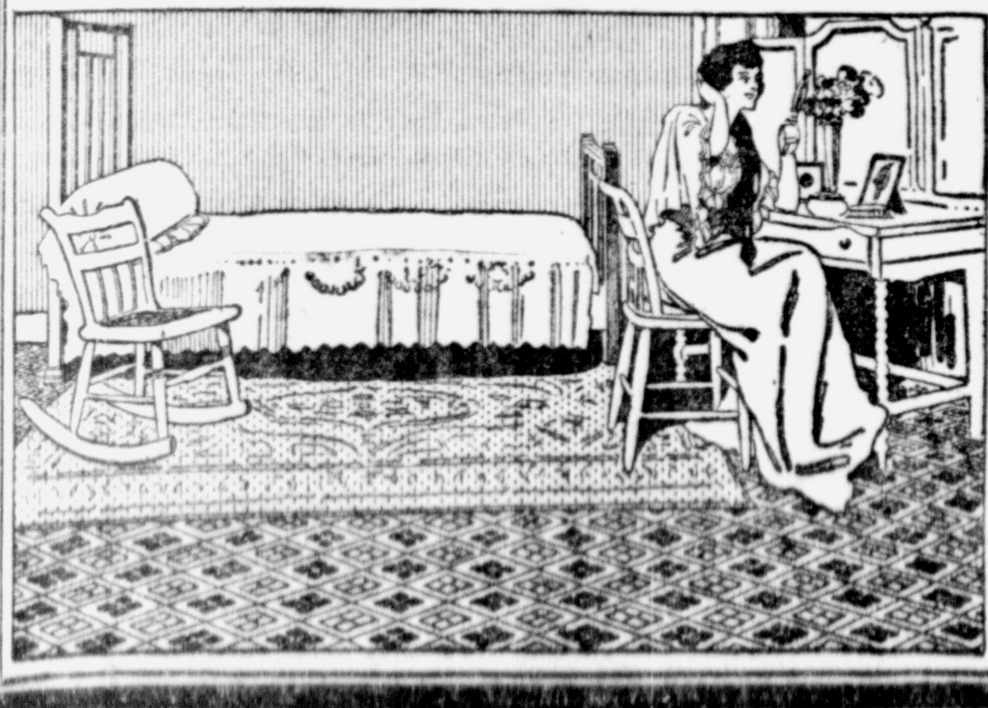
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In order to introduce himself to the piano owners of La Crosse, J. J. Norris will fill all orders for Piano Tuning received before March 24th for \$1.00. Phone 1047-A. P. O. Box 363.

WIFE OF CAPTAIN OF LOST U. S. SHIP



Mrs. H. H. Kiehne.

Mrs. Kiehne is the wife of Capt. H. H. Kiehne, commander of the American schooner William F. Fry, which was sunk by the German sea raider Prinz Eitel Friedrich in the south Atlantic. This picture of her was taken at Newport News after the arrival of the Prinz Eitel in that port last week.

STRIKE SYMPATHIZERS PINCHED

Ole Erickson and John Schomers, sympathizers of the locked out employees of the La Crosse Rubber Mills, who called workmen "scabs" were today fined \$12.50 each in Judge Cronan's court.

Kettle That Really Sings.

A Japanese inventor has provided an iron kettle which bursts into song the moment the kettle begins to boil. The sounds are produced by steam bubbles striking against musical metallic bars, just above the water.

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Authors of

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FAMOUS SINGER TO APPEAR HERE

Florence Macbeth, Famous Coloratura Soprano, to Be Heard in La Crosse Friday Evening

The most notable musical event vouchsafed to La Crosse in many years will take place at the La Crosse Theater, Friday, March 19th, when Miss Florence Macbeth, a vocal artist of international reputation, acclaimed by musical critics as the true successor to Adeline Patti, will appear in concert before a La Crosse audience. The possibility of hearing Miss Macbeth here is due directly to the great European war which has driven so many singers to America, they being unable to fulfill their engagements abroad.

Of additional interest is the fact that this already famous singer is a Mankato, Minn., girl.

Never in the musical history of America has there been so sudden and sensational a rise to the highest pinnacle of artistic fame as has been achieved by Florence Macbeth. Born at Mankato, Minnesota, where her parents have lived for many years, she sang from her earliest years. As a tiny tot she would wander in the fields and imitate the thrilling of the birds and, so successfully, that her parents and friends were frightened, thinking it supernatural. They tried to dissuade her. They might as well have forbidden the birds to sing. She just had to sing. It was part of her natural life. Realizing she was a born songstress, her parents decided to give her the best possible musical training. It is not astonishing that with her natural musical instincts, combined with her training, she is today one of the very few really great singers. And it was in London, whose verdict is accepted the world over, where all musical reputations are made and unmade, that she was first acclaimed a phenomenal singer.

She became the rage. She sang at the most notable houses in London. Royalty, the highest nobility, dilettante and the general public were in doing her honor. Telegrams poured in from all the great musical centers for her services. Berlin, Paris, Ostend, Vienna, Buda Pest, New York and Chicago wanted her. Gatti-Casazza, director of the New York Metropolitan Opera House, and Campanini of the Chicago Grand Opera company strove for her and engaged her jointly. She is to sing two guest performances at the Metropolitan Opera House, New York, this season. A tour of the English provinces, under Percy Harrison, Tetrazzini's manager, followed and broke all records. At the Royal Opera, Buda Pest, her two performances were prolonged to eight. She was to have sung this year at Berlin, Vienna, Buda Pest, Moscow and St. Petersburg, but the war upset this arrangement. Finding her free, Otto Kahn, the chairman of directors of the Metropolitan company of New York, induced her to accept a guest engagement with the Century company at New York, and at Chicago, where she appeared with immense success.

Program Local Choice
Miss Florence Macbeth has been very gracious in offering the musical people the choice of the most of the numbers on her program. Members of the Music Study club and others who are interested in Miss Macbeth's recital have made selections of five of the seven numbers on her program.

Unfortunately Miss Macbeth's manager is ill in a Chicago hospital, but Miss Macbeth refused to call off the engagement here and will trust to the musical people of La Crosse for her hearing. Society in general here is interested in this recital and a large house should greet Miss Macbeth.

Her program follows:
I. Aria, Shadow Song (Dinorah)
..... Meyerbeer

II.—German Songs:
(a) Vogliem Franz
(b) Mutter, O Sing Mich Zur Ruh Franz
(c) Fruhlingslied, Opus 47, No. 3 Mendelssohn

III. Old French Songs:
(a) Villanelle Dell'Acqua
(b) L'amour s'envole de Jean
(c) Chantons les amours de Jean Weckerlin

IV. Bell Song (Lakme) Delibes
V. Staccato Polka Mulder

VI. Songs:
(a) Spring Song Henschel
(b) My Lovely Celia Monro
(c) Youth Comes Dancing O'er the Meadows Marion Bauer
(d) Star Trysts Marion Bauer
(e) The Enchanted Forest, Phillips

VII. Mad Scene, from "Lucia" Donizetti

At the piano, Carrie Zumbach Bliss.

MRS. ROSE BACK TO STAGE

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 17.—Mrs. David S. Rose, wife of the former mayor of Milwaukee, announced today that she would return to the stage. She will assume her stage name of Rosemary Glasz.

The Kilt in History.

The Scottish kilt, as an article of dress, dates back to historic times, and was originally, so far as can be figured out, merely a plaid blanket worn about the shoulders with one end gathered about the loins in cold weather. The mountaineers of the Balkans wear the kilt, and students say that the soldiers of the Assyrian kings wore a costume very closely akin to the kilt of Scotland.

Daily Thought.

You get entertainment pretty much in proportion as you give. And here is one reason of a dozen why the world is dull to dull persons.—Stevenson.

Children's Spring Dresses Just In

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New Reed Waists Just In

Ladies' Spring Coats \$12.50

An exceptional offering for Thursday in Ladies' and Misses' New Spring Coats, made of fine wool serges, poplins, checks, plaids and fancy mixtures, in all the best colors. Some are full lined with peau de cygne, some half lined, and some unlined. Every one an exceptional value. Thursday only

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Ladies' pure Silk Messaline Petticoats in black, white and best colors. Several good styles worth up to \$4.00 each. On sale Thursday at each

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30 inch White Windsor Crepes and 30 inch Colored Irish Dimities, worth 20c and 25c, only

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COLORED CREPES, in a big variety of designs, worth 15c per yard, for one day only

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LINEN DEPARTMENT

45 inch PLAIN ART LINEN, Irish manufacture. Every thread linen. Our regular 65c quality, for one day only

39c Yd.

FILIPINOS THINK THIS FLOWER IS SPIRIT OF CHIEF



One of the most interesting exhibits at the international flower show in New York city is a moth orchid growing in a human skull. The skull is that of a Filipino who stole one of the wives of Chief Guano. The chief kept the skull as long as he lived. On his death it was placed on his grave. This orchid grew out of the skull and natives believe it is the spirit of their dead chief.

Even a cheap skate may cut quite a lot of ice.

HAVE YOU HAD THE GRIP?

The debility and depression following an attack of the grip is not a fancied disorder. "Post-grippal neurasthenia" is the medical name for this condition and its seriousness is recognized by all medical writers.

One authority says: "Broadly speaking, every victim of the grip will suffer from post-grippal neurasthenia also. Lowering of nervous tone, with increased irritability is the most striking effect of the disease, with languor of mind and body, disturbed sleep and vague pains in the head and elsewhere."

Every sufferer will recognize the symptoms. What is the remedy? After the fever has passed and the influenza has subsided the diet should be more liberal but be limited to articles easily digested; rest and sufficient sleep are essential and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are the only medicine required in most cases. This treatment should be continued until the patient is completely restored to normal health and spirits. It is a specific treatment and rarely if ever fails.

Send today for the booklet "Building Up the Blood." It is free if you mention this paper. Address the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y. Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

GAMBLERS BLED FOR ELECTION FUND

Testify They Were Muled for Hundreds in Terre Haute to Elect Judge Redman

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 17.—The alleged system under which powerful Terre Haute gaming house owners were "bled" and forced to contribute hundreds of dollars to Night Chief of Police Jack Nugent, appointed by Mayor Donn M. Roberts, for an election fund, and particularly towards the election of Eli Redman, now circuit judge, was put into testimony today in the government's election corruption conspiracy trial. Many admitted Terre Haute gamblers testified.

The testimony showed that Nugent made out a list of saloons and gaming houses with the amount each place was to contribute, and that several gamblers contributed direct to Eli Redman.

Philip ("Top") Burns admitted that he "ran a little game of chance," in which a man could lay down a nickel and "if he was lucky, get \$5." He said he gave \$50 to the registration fund, \$150 for the election fund, and gave Eli Redman \$200.

James Shea of the Shea Brothers' saloon, said he gave Redman \$500 and that Redman gave his note for part of it.

"Did you make any contribution to the defense fund in this federal trial?" asked District Attorney Dailey.

"Yes, I gave \$200 to Mayor Roberts in his office. Roberts said he wanted \$200 for attorney fees," said Shea.

BOSSHARD WOULD RAISE FLAG

MADISON, Wis., March 17.—(Special.)—Senator Bosshard urged the state affairs committee yesterday afternoon to favor a bill requiring the flag to be raised above school houses. To display it inside the building is not enough, he said.

Their Days of Fate.

Certain days of the week or month have constantly been marked ones in some persons' lives. Nearly all the chief events of Thomas A. Becket's career, including his murder and the translation of his body, occurred upon a Tuesday. Henry VIII and his three children—Edward, Mary and Elizabeth—expired upon the same day of the week—Thursday.

Getting Rid of Sparrow Pest.

Nowhere is the English sparrow included among the birds protected by law, and as individuals and flocks have an extremely narrow range, each flock occupying one locality to which its activities are chiefly confined, they are easily exterminated. When a place has once been cleared of sparrows it will be some time before it is reoccupied.

GIVES SAINT GERMAN NAME

MILWAUKEE, March 17.—A riot was narrowly averted today when the electrician at the Pabst theater applied German kultur to the patron saint of the Irish. In arranging a sign in front of the theater, announcing a St. Patrick's day entertainment, he spelled it "St. Patrik."

GOULD'S CAREER AS A RAIL CHIEF ENDS



George Gould.

The passing of George J. Gould from the management of the last of the old Jay Gould properties took place last Tuesday, when he failed to be re-elected a director of the Missouri Pacific at the annual shareholders' meeting of the road. The fight to eliminate Gould as a factor in railway affairs was begun by E. H. Harriman in 1905 and has been pushed vigorously ever since.

NAMES CAROLINA JUDGE

WASHINGTON, March 17.—President Wilson today gave a recess appointment to Representative John T. Johnson as United States district judge for the western South Carolina district.

CONGRESSMAN TAKES CAKE

BELLEFOURCHE, S. D., March 17.—Congressman Harry Gandy today has a cake awarded him for being the best cakewalker in the city. He says he learned it in Washington.

Look Ahead!

The present moment is the worst; the lenient hand of Time is daily and hourly either lightening the burden, or making us insensible to the weight.—Robert Burns.

FAMOUS SOLDIER AND EDITOR DIES

Captain Henry King, soldier and journalist, for more than fifty years editor of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, died in St. Louis Monday. His first notable newspaper assignment was to cover the Lincoln-Douglas debates in 1858. His fame as an editorial writer is international. Mrs. J. R. Caldwell, who resides at Eleventh and King streets, this city, is a niece of Captain King.

Little Millie's father and grandfather were Republicans; and, as election drew near, they spoke of their opponents with increasing warmth, never heeding Millie's attentive ears and wondering eyes. One night, however, as the little maid was preparing for bed, she whispered in a frightened voice: "Oh, mamma, I don't dare to go upstairs. I'm afraid there's a Democrat under the bed."

Chapter on Finance.
It is not what a man earns but what he saves that makes him rich, and it is not what he owes but what he pays that keeps him poor.

TO PROTECT THE BABIES

Thousands of Mothers Keep Their Children Well and Strong Using Father John's Medicine.

Mothers should know that the safe medicine for their children is Father John's Medicine because it does not contain alcohol or dangerous drugs in any form. Wise mothers take care to keep their children well and strong so that they can resist the diseases of childhood. Father John's Medicine gives new strength and flesh because it is pure, wholesome and nourishing.

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Has a gentle healing effect upon the throat and bronchial tubes. That is why it CURES BRONCHITIS

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The Minnesota Nightingale. Principal Coloratura Soprano of the Chicago Grand Opera Company.

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Seats now selling. \$1.50, \$1.00, 75c, 50c.

Reservations by mail now.

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Episode No. 3 of "Runaway June"

In Two Parts
The Great Love Serial by
George Randolph Chester

In which the chase after the runaway bride becomes more exciting than ever. They almost find her, but she manages to again elude them.

Tomorrow Only—The CASINO

GARRANZA VICTORY ALARMS PROGRESO

Foreigners Ask Asylum on
American Warship
Following Rebels'
Defeat

EXODUS ON FROM MEXICO CITY

Zapatistas and Carranzistas
Co-operate with U. S.
Agent in Helping For-
eigners Escape

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Much alarm exists at Progreso, Mexico, according to state department advices today from Consul Silliman at Vera Cruz, owing to the severe defeat of the Yucatan insurgents by General Carranza.

It was stated that foreigners there had asked asylum on an American ship.

Mexico City's foreign population will be materially reduced. An exodus of non-Mexicans to the coast is now in progress and the state department is lending its assistance. All foreigners who can do so are going to Vera Cruz, where they can be protected by the American warships' guns should a necessity arise. Carranza and Villa have both been asked to furnish trains and uninterrupted transportation to the coast.

From Consul Silliman at Vera Cruz came the assurance that Carranza had agreed to facilitate the refugees' transportation through his territory, and the Zapatista authorities in the capital also announced they were ready to co-operate with the Brazilian consul in getting them out of Mexico City.

FORMER ACTRESS WINS DIVORCE FROM WEALTHY HUSBAND



Mrs. Claudia Carlstedt Wheeler (photographed at divorce trial).

The jury in the suit for absolute divorce brought by Albert Gallatin Wheeler, a former banker of New York and Chicago, against his wife, Claudia Carlstedt Wheeler, a former opera star, has rendered a verdict in favor of the pretty defendant. Claudia Carlstedt met Wheeler when she was less than twenty and married him. For ten years, so she declares, she was a good wife, but found that happiness was not her lot.

LA CROSSE ELKS TO VISIT WINONA

Seventy-five from Here to
Participate in Opening of
New Club Rooms To-
night

With shamrocks in their button-holes besides their Elks' emblems, seventy-five La Crosse Elks will leave by the Northwestern road at 5:45 o'clock this afternoon for a St. Patrick's day frolic with Rochester, Red Wing and Winona Elks.

The affair will be the biggest thing in Elkdom in this part of the Northwest. Five hundred are expected to be present.

The occasion for the celebration at Winona is the opening of the new Elks' home in that city, which was recently completed.

Wonderful Snow Figures.

The delicacy and beauty of snow figures have no parallel in the product of man or insect. The most beautiful of webs, wondrous as they are, of the strange insect called the spider bear no comparison with snow crystals. The rarest of gossamer laces, stitched by deft fingers that have inherited the art throughout generations, have no such delicate figures, though they have found inspiration in leaf and verdure and flower of rarest structure.

Would Walk on Water.

German army officers are experimenting with rubber foot pontoons to enable soldiers to walk on water, carrying heavy loads and using their rifles freely at the same time.

Common Failing.

"We allus magnifies de importance of our own doins," said Uncle Eben. "A man wif a funny story on his mind imagines dat everybody ought to stop work and listen."

TO DETERMINE THE CHAMPIONSHIP OF TOMAH AND BARABOO

Winner of Basketball Game
Will Enter State Cham-
pionship Game at Ap-
pleton Soon

SPARTA, Wis., March 17.—(Special.)—The final basketball tussle which is to determine whether Tomah or Baraboo is to go to the tournament at Appleton, will be scrapped out in the Armory here, Friday evening. Each team has won a game on its own floor and it will probably be the hardest game of the season. Last year Tomah met and defeated Viroqua in the final elimination game at Sparta.

Each city will send a special train and an immense crowd is assured. Mr. C. W. Otto of Marshfield will referee the game.

Personals
Mr. J. E. Benson of Eau Claire was in Sparta yesterday on business. John Prill and mother and the Misses Leisring and Holford returned to West Salem yesterday after a short visit in Sparta.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Wakeman and Miss Gladys Nelson returned from Viroqua Monday after a short visit. Mrs. Swartzlow, who underwent an operation in Rochester is recovering.

Milton Putman has sold his plumbing business to Fred Schneider, who will continue it. Mr. Putman will go west and probably settle in Montana.

Will N. Well, former editor of the Monroe County Democrat, now of Madison, is visiting friends and relatives in Sparta.

Mr. and Mrs. George Frohmader and daughter, Edith, have returned to Camp Douglas, after a short visit with Albert Frohmader.

The girls' declamatory contest which will decide who will represent Sparta in the district contest will be held in the assembly room Wednesday evening, March 24 at 8 o'clock. The Domestic Science club met with Mrs. Leo B. Evenson Monday evening.

Archie McCray left yesterday for Marshfield where he will remain for a short time.

The meeting of the Grossman Wardrobe company stockholders which was adjourned two weeks ago, will be continued tonight.

Dr. Spencer Beebe entertained the Congregational Sunday school orchestra at his home Saturday evening.

Alfalfa PUREST ON EARTH

More than 30 years ago Salzer's Catalog boomed Alfalfa, years before other seedmen thought of its value. Today Salzer excels! His Alfalfa strains include Grimm, (Montana Liscom, Agr. College inspected), Salzer's Dakota Registered No. 30—all hardy as oak.

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We gladly mail our Catalog and sample package of Ten Famous Farm Seeds, including Speltz, "The Cereal Wonder," Rejuvenated White Bonanza Oats, "The Prize Winner," Billion Dollar Grass, Teosinte, the Silo Filler, Alfalfa, etc., etc.

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Or send to John A. Salzer Seed Co., Box 60, La Crosse, Wis., twenty cents and receive both above collections and their big catalog.

JUDGE GETS AFTER VENDERS OF BOOZE

Campaign Is Started in the
County Court to Punish
"Go Betweens" and
Others

A fight to the finish is to be waged against La Crosse saloon keepers who are selling liquor to "posted" men, and "go betweens" who purchase liquor and sell it to those who cannot obtain it.

"The laws of Wisconsin regarding selling liquor to 'posted' men are absolutely ignored, and there will be no let-up until it is stopped," declared Judge John Brindley this morning when Fred and Frank Schrader, 719 Caledonia street, were arraigned on charges of common drunkenness.

"This thing is getting to be a disgrace to the city. There is not a policeman who does not know it is going on every day," said Judge John Brindley.

Investigation Is Started
District Attorney Otto Schlachach started an investigation to find out where the liquor was obtained. The charge against the two men was preferred by Ernest Schrader, a brother. Both pleaded not guilty and re-

fused to tell where the liquor was purchased. A hearing was set for late this afternoon.

District Attorney Schlachach has information which leads him to the belief that there are "go betweens" purchasing liquor for posted men and arrests may follow.

HALF MILLION IS LOSS IN FIRE AT CHAMPAIGN, ILL.

CHAMPAIGN, ILL., March 17.—Fire starting from an unknown cause, probably in an elevator shaft, in the Lewis department store, today destroyed the half block occupied by the six story Illinois building and all of a full block adjoining except a corner occupied by the Citizens' State bank. The damage was \$500,000.

KELLY IS CHOSEN CAPTAIN OF "HIGHS"

Aloysius Kelly, a guard on this year's high school basketball team, was chosen by the team to be next year's captain at a meeting yesterday. Kelly is well liked at the school among basketball men and is expected to make an excellent captain. Gruenzner and Kulczynski were also mentioned for the honor, but Kelly won by a small majority.

The great trouble with experience as a teacher is that the knowledge she imparts comes too late.

If you would avoid the fire keep out of the frying pan.

The Softening Effect of Curly, Wavy Hair

(Melissa Fernald in Beauty Chat.)
Curly or wavy hair softens the features and brings out the real beauty of the face. Perhaps that is why every woman wishes for either curly or wavy hair. And at last science says she may have it without having to resort to curling irons, passing a restless night with hair done up in "leads." What is a curl anyway? Science, and then discovers that a curl is nothing more or less than a contraction of the hair. What will contract the hair naturally? Science answers this question with kurlo. Women everywhere are using it. Into a pint of hot water Milady dissolves four ounces of kurlo (enough for one year), and then dipping her comb daintily into the liquid after it is cold she passes it lightly through the hair. In a few moments it forms the hair into waves or curls while still damp and in five minutes it is dry—and the curls remain. Nor is that all, for kurlo not only makes the hair stay in curl but adds to its lustre and vitality.

ANNOUNCEMENT REGARDING

"Dear Old Girl"

FEATURING
Francis X. Bushman

Since making the screen announcement several days ago that DEAR OLD GIRL had been released and would be shown Thursday, we have had hundreds of people express their pleasure. We have since tried to secure the picture for two days but it is booked solid, so we can have it for but one day. Our patrons so well remember the picture with its college chimes pealing forth that beautiful melody "Dear Old Girl," and the joyous bridegroom-to-be who lost his reason when news came of the fatal train wreck; the pathetic scenes afterwards when the chimes were heard and the poor demented fellow would start out to meet his bride-to-be and the final scenes where he eluded his attendant and met his death when he went to the train. This picture received so much favorable comment that we do not expect to accommodate more than a small portion of those who will want to see it again, and we urge all who possibly can do so to come to the matinee tomorrow afternoon and not wait until night when they will have to wait and may not be able to get in. Come in the afternoon if possible.

TOMORROW—The CASINO

CHIMNEY FIRE AT BURTON'S

No. 1 fire company answered an alarm from the home of George W. Burton, 1428 Main street, at 6 o'clock last night. Fire in a chimney did little damage.

WEST SALEM HOME SOLD

The home of W. C. Miller in West Salem sold today to Mabel E. Norris for a consideration of \$3,000.

Preserve Patch of Yew Trees.

A bit of primeval yew forest about half a mile square is carefully preserved in the Bavarian highlands of Germany, the tree, once widely distributed, having become almost extinct in Europe.

CATARRH LEADS TO CONSUMPTION

Catarrh is as much a blood disease as scrofula or rheumatism. It may be relieved, but it cannot be removed by simply local treatment. It breaks down the general health, weakens the lung tissues, and leads to consumption.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is so successful in the treatment of catarrh that it is known as the best remedy for this disease. It purifies the blood. Ask your druggist for it.

Hurls Children From Fifth Floor To Pavement

Unknown Man Drops Brother and
Sister From Window to Fatal
Injury Sixty Feet
Below

NEW YORK, March 17.—An unidentified man dropped seven-year-old Sadie Liebman from the fifth story of an apartment today, according to a story told the police. In a few minutes he reappeared at the window and with an insane shriek sent five-year-old Sammie Liebman hurtling to the asphalt, sixty feet below.

The mangled children were found by a passerby. They were rushed to the hospital, still alive but dying. Their skulls had been fractured and both had suffered internal injuries.

The mother told the police she had gone to a bakeshop, leaving the children in the kitchen. Earlier in the day, she said, she quarreled with her husband, who had been summoned to the domestic relations court.

ROBBERS MUSICAL

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 17.—Robbers early today ransacked the store of the Minneapolis Phonograph company of musical instruments worth \$1,000.

Special 15 Day Offer of Reliable Painless Dentistry

My best 22 karat Gold Crown\$5.00
Bridge Work of all kinds.....\$5.00
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Dr. Watterson

The Painless Dentist

115 South Fourth Street



Daphne Pollard as one of the Alimony Sisters in the big musical show of Rock and Fulton in "The Candy Shop" at La Crosse Theater tonight.

Runaway June

By George Randolph Chester and Lillian Chester

By special arrangement for this paper a photo-drama corresponding to the installments of "Runaway June" may now be seen at the leading moving picture theaters. By arrangement made with the Mutual Film Corporation it is not only possible to read "Runaway June" each week, but also afterward to see moving pictures illustrating our story.

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THIRD EPISODE. June Finds Work.

CHAPTER I.

DOWN the dark boulevard from Brynport weaved and bumped and rattled a lone taxicab, with a high powered limousine, steadily gaining on it. A black Vandyked man in the limousine began to toss something out of the window as he passed the taxi at breakneck speed. He smiled as he heard a loud report like the explosion of a revolver, then another. He knocked on the driver's window, and as the car came to a stop he looked behind. The taxi had drawn up. He hastily replaced under the seat the hamper in which he had broken to bits all its porcelain and glassware. A tall, gaunt girl, distinctly a maid, was out, impatiently surveying the flat tires of the taxi, when the limousine, its bright dome light suddenly flashing up, backed alongside. The black Vandyked man stepped down.

"Perhaps I can offer your passengers the use of my machine," he suggested.

That relieved young woman opened the door of the taxi and poked her head inside.

"There ain't anything else we can do, Miss Junie," she whispered.

"I suppose not," came a sweet voice from the taxi, and the face of a beautiful young girl appeared in the window. She started as she saw the black Vandyked man, Gilbert Blye. He stood, hat doffed, politely waiting their acceptance.

"You'd better go, miss," husked the taxi driver. "This old tub'll be here tomorrow morning."

June Warner slowly stepped down.

"Thank you," she managed to murmur.

"I beg of you not to mention it. The favor is to me," Blye gallantly returned, while the maid began to transfer from the taxi to the other car load after arm load of unpacked clothing.

Around the curve behind them there dashed another limousine and a runabout in time for the occupants to see Gilbert Blye assisting June into the luxurious limousine. They also saw the eight cylinder machine leap forward. Blye, unconscious that they were being pursued, as was the girl, thought that he heard a shout as they gathered speed, and he looked back in time to see first the runabout and then the limousine swerve and slow down and to hear two loud bangs. He grinned. His driver grinned. The taxi driver grinned. Then they whizzed away.

"Why, you are the little runaway bride, the girl in the watch!" said Blye, leaning forward.

"Yes," And June blushed.

She felt the black eyes of Gilbert Blye fixed upon her. Could it be possible that he had followed her? Oh, no! Still, he had her address in her watch and her portrait.

"You were kind enough on the train, Mr. Blye, to offer to let me buy my watch, and I'll take it now, if you please."

"I'm very sorry I haven't it with me. But I shall see you another time, I am sure." He came back from the forward seat and sat with her.

Back near the abandoned taxi there was a frantic group. Ned Warner, his face as set as if it had been chiseled from marble, stood in the center of the road with his fists clinched until his nails dug into his palms. There could be no doubt now that Gilbert Blye's pursuit of Ned's wife, June, was deliberate and purposeful.

Up came Mrs. Blye's auto.

"You're to jump in with Mrs. Blye, Ned, and go straight on!" Iris shouted. "Get right in! Don't waste a minute!" And she fairly shoved the grim young husband of June Warner into the seat by the side of the determined wife of the man with the black Vandyke. The electric rolled away at its utmost speed.

At Blye's club the limousine stopped, while the black Vandyked man alighted. June smiled as she bade him good night, but she was very thoughtful nevertheless and troubled. Blye stood on the steps of the club and gazed after the receding car with a smile of satisfaction.

The limousine sped on to the address which Blye had given the driver. Marie saw panic in June's face. She found the little hands of June cold with nervous collapse.

"East!" she snapped to the driver. "I don't know the number. I'll tell you when we get there."

A few minutes later they stopped in front of a dingy looking building with no light in the vestibule. Marie jumped out and rang the doorbell. A woman came to the door. They exchanged a few brief words, and Marie ran down to the limousine.

"It's all right, Junie. Mrs. Boales has a nice back room for you and a cot for me."

June stepped from the car with a sigh of relief. A home of any sort was welcome now. It had been a long and exciting day.

"I know the room, Miss June," said Marie, sweeping past with her arms full of fluffies.

Blye was in front of his club with a gray mustached, jovial looking, pink faced man when the car returned.

"Where did you take her, Scatt?" Blye asked.

"There was no number on the house, boss, but I can find it."

"Drive us there," directed Blye. Down on the dingy east side street he tried earnestly to pin down Scatt's dizzied memory. Up and down Blye moved, seeking in every window for some sign of the runaway bride. Suddenly his eye caught the glint of something in a vestibule. He ran up the steps. The glittering object was a buckle on a dainty little slipper, one which June's collier had carried down to the taxi for her when she had stolen her clothes and Marie from her father's house. He jotted the number of the house in a memorandum book.

CHAPTER II.

JUST where one turns from the Concourse into the narrow lane of the interminable Mott street construction work the Moore limousine overtook Honoria Blye's electric. Mrs. Blye let Ned alight. She drove home. Her husband had long since preceded her. From a secret drawer of his desk he took some papers and stuffed them in his pocket; then he called the abnormally ugly Blye maid to help him with a trunk.

They were in the hall with the luggage when Honoria let herself in. She seized the situation at a glance and without a word laid hold of the trunk. But Blye, aided by Scatt, dashed away.

Ned Warner meantime had driven straight to the apartments which he and June had fitted up. He leaped rapidly through the telephone directory, called a number and delivered his message.

There was a knock at the door. Three detectives had come from a private agency. Ned had given them a miniature of June.

Meanwhile Mrs. Blye in the presence of the parrot was also giving instructions to detectives. She gave them a photograph of Gilbert Blye and warned them that there was to be no publicity.

June, busy with her own thoughts, presently found the dark eyes of Marie fixed steadily on her in the glass. She missed Marie's red gums, which were always showing, but there was no smile in the French-Canadian girl just now.

"Why did you leave him?" asked the maid.

"Money, Marie. Ned gave me some money."

"We were all so glad that Mr. Ned was going to be so good to you," Marie pathetically observed, "and you ran away from him because he was. You should go back. My sister's husband beats her."

June shook her head. "Get me a newspaper, Marie," she requested.

June had a new problem to confront now. She must earn a living, and it was a subject which she

"Miss Thomas, Miss—ma'am." Mrs. Boales' constantly roving eye came to rest on the solitary and the plain gold band on June's finger. "She said she came to see you about a position."

June cast down her eyes in troubled thought. Blye—he had said he would send some one for her in the morning. Was there no evading the man's kindness? How had he— Absurd! Of course he had got her address from the driver of the car. She went down the stairs in worried concern, but in the doorway of the parlor she stopped in astonishment as she saw her caller. For a moment the two beautiful young women stood studying each other in admiration, then the brunette swept forward with a gracious smile.

Later June called up the stairs, "I'll be back some time this afternoon, Marie." Then June went out with Tommy Thomas!

Honoria Blye, sitting at her parlor window and exchanging the thoughts of the morning with her green feathered familiar spirit, saw loading across from her house a long, lean, lanky man with a sparse black beard. Presently the doorbell rang, and one of the wide, low detectives came in with an air of great exhaustion.

"Nothing doing, ma'am," he reported. "Blinky Peters and I watched your husband's club all the time. Sneaky Tavis has shadowed Warner's apartments, and I'm to go let him get some sleep."

"Are you sure my husband and that girl haven't left the city?" she asked.

"They didn't go from any regular railroad station," stated Bill Wolf, with conviction.

Ned Warner at about the same time received a report of similar discouragement from the long, lean, lanky detective. There had been found no trace of June Warner nor of Blye.

In one of the big department stores June was taken up to the manageress of the French salon; then Tommy went away, and presently June, whose

away. The woman had a girl carry it to the credit department, said she had bought the gown, didn't care for it and wanted the money, \$135.

The manager of the credit department expostulated with the woman as far as diplomacy would permit. It was not unusual to have credit customers bring back goods and demand cash, but it was unusual to have it done so quickly. However, she was a good customer, and her bills were always paid.

The woman rejoined her friend in front of June's dressing alcove and triumphantly displayed the money. The husband of the customer came up, furious. He had been to the credit desk and discovered the deception. A little group quickly formed around the middle aged husband and wife.

It was at this moment that Blye appeared by the side of the gray mustached man, and with him was Tommy Thomas! Blye nodded his head to Cunningham and said something to Tommy. She strolled with quite evident reluctance across the floor.

"Your turn, dear," said the manageress to June and frowned in the direction of the group.

"I give you everything you want," charged the man. "No woman in this town has more. You can go into any shop in New York and order what you like, and I pay your bills. Yet you graft on me!"

"You give me everything but money!" shrieked the woman. "I beg for every cent I get!"

To give on the one hand, and to beg on the other! It was a striking illustration of the principle which had led June away from Ned. That the woman is and must remain an object of charity, dependent upon the bounty of the man whom she marries! No matter how generous the man might be nor how penurious, the principle was the same.

The gray mustached man called the manageress. "I would like to see that little white dress," he said, indicating June, who had on another frock.

"Certainly," replied the manageress. She hurried over to June and said, "Come, Therese!"

"THANK YOU," JUNE MANAGED TO MURMUR



"WHERE IS MY WIFE?"



NED! JUNE'S HEART LEAPED.



AROUND THE CURVE DASHED ANOTHER CAR.



had never considered except in the vague haze of romance. When Marie returned with the paper she studied the want ads, with curious interest.

Meanwhile Blye and Orin Cunningham drove to the house where Blye had first directed June.

"Send Tommy down," directed Blye, pacing the floor thoughtfully.

Scatt, storing many things in his mind, turned his swarthy face toward the window and presently saw Tommy come into the room, the vivacious brunette girl whom June had seen. Scatt saw Cunningham rise and the three conversing earnestly. Blye showed Tommy the picture in the lid of the little gold watch. Tommy was not highly pleased from the very beginning. The men grew stern, and then Scatt saw them reduce her to submission. She walked away and presently came back wearing an evening wrap of creamy colors. The three hurried out and got into the car. They drove down into the dingy east side street where June lay in the sleep of blessed rest. Blye had Tommy take careful note of the house.

CHAPTER III.

JUNE bustled quite cheerfully about her toilet the next morning and chose a little dark gray suit as being the least conspicuous, for now she was to be a working girl.

Suddenly there was a wheezing and a rustling at the door and a scraping as if some one were seeking admittance. It was Mrs. Boales.

"There's a young lady to see you, Miss—Miss—"

"Justin," snapped Marie, who had given that name by a brilliant flash of intellect.

"Yes, Mary," wheezed Mrs. Boales.

"That wasn't the name the young lady gave. First she said Moore, and then she said Warner, and then she said that Justin was right, she guessed, but she said 'June' every time, and she brought this slipper. Is it yours?"

"Who is the young lady?" asked June.

face and figure, carriage and manner, had been grimly inspected and approved, was being instructed in the art of parading in a gown and of displaying the proper degree of elegant insolence to impress customers.

"Your name here will be Therese," said the manageress. "You haven't done this before, have you?" "No," June's voice was faint and weak. She had a queer feeling in her stomach, and her eyes began to widen again as she studied an appalling array of cosmetics.

"Never mind. I'll be in and make you up." At last June was to know how it felt to earn one's own living. She had a mingled exhilaration and depression in the contemplation of that remarkable experience.

As June peered out of her dressing alcove a middle aged man and woman paused in a vigorous argument. The woman wanted money, and the man would not give it. Then June was called and came out and paraded slowly down between the two long rows of chairs.

She had displayed perhaps half a dozen gowns when the middle aged man and woman obstructed her passageway as she came out of the alcove. They were still in an energetic dispute about the money. A hundred dollars the woman wanted, and she had to have it! The man finally left her.

A lady from a group where a gray mustached man with a pink face and jovial eyes was standing came over and spoke to the woman. The woman listened, her eyes following June as she walked in a beautiful black velvet dinner gown. The woman spoke to a saleslady.

"I want that gown!" she snapped.

"Certainly, madam," said the saleslady.

"Tell her to take it off now," ordered the customer. "It's a charge account."

So June was unceremoniously rushed into her alcove and divested of the black velvet gown, while the charge account went up. The gown was taken

A warm hand caught June's wrist, and a voice said:

"You're stunning! What's the fight about?" Tommy Thomas it was.

The two girls stood listening.

The gray mustached man rose.

"If this is the sort of attention I receive in this shop I shall give it no more of patronage," he declared angrily to the manageress.

"What is the matter?" asked the superintendent.

"Matter!" blazed Cunningham. "I've been asking this saleswoman for half an hour to let me see that little white dress," he pointed to June, "and I am ignored, sir!"

"It's a new model," explained the manageress. "I can't get her to pay any attention to me."

"Then discharge her at once!" ordered the superintendent and turned on his heel.

Madam Effing stalked straight over to June.

"You are discharged!" she snapped.

"Oh!" June was stunned.

"No excuses, please!" grated the manageress.

"Madam!" called the vivacious Tommy Thomas, but madam only glared at her and stalked away, while June walked into her dressing alcove to know, with sympathy for all the other girls of her position, just how it feels to be discharged.

Meantime Tommy Thomas, the look of concern fading from her handsome countenance, hurried over and joined Orin Cunningham and Gilbert Blye. The three left the department.

When June emerged from her dressing alcove Madam Effing was there and without a word gave her a little yellow envelope. With this in her hand June walked out into the street, saddened with the realization that, after all, the way to independence is full of hardships and that bounty might have its advantages.

Gilbert Blye was waiting for her at the corner, suave, pleasant, smiling. She had never met a man who raised his hat with more courtly grace than he.

He asked if he might walk with her a little way, and she saw no reasonable excuse to refuse him after his consideration of the morning. He sympathized with her, and he extended his walk to the door of her lodgings. He held her hand a moment overlong in parting, and the wheezing Mrs. Boales, her cold eye looking from the area window, saw him bending over her in smiling persuasion.

Bill Wolf, the flattest and widest of Honoria's detectives, later rang the Blye bell and bulged back to the dining room in excitement.

"Got him?" announced Bill.

"Is she with him?" demanded Honoria.

"I don't know. My partners are watching the front and back doors. Come!"

Honoria bundled the flat, wide detective into her electric and started the machine.

"Where?" she majestically demanded.

"Riverside drive! I'll show you the place!"

"Is he still in, Blinky?" demanded Bill Wolf, tumbling out of the machine and landing right end up.

Blinky Peters was too good a detective to answer in words. He gave an upward toss of his round head and a wink of his fishlike eye and walked into the building with an air of not having seen Bill Wolf at all.

"Fifth!" ordered Blinky, leaning over to whisper that magic word mysteriously into the ear of the curly haired elevator boy. The boy did not mind. He was used to all sorts. He sent up the elevator with a jerk. Out at the fifth floor. First door to the right. Now! A ring at the doorbell. Hush!

The door swung open, and immediately Bill Wolf pushed in. The others crowded after him.

"There he is, ma'am!" shouted Bill, plunging into the next room, and Honoria Blye saw in June Warner's drawing room the tall, lean, lanky detective with the sparse black beard, who was the caricature of her handsome husband! Ned Warner followed in from the reception room.

"What am I to understand by this, Mrs. Blye?" he inquired.

"You ought to know, you!" gruffly charged "Sneaky" Tavis, who had followed the others, and, whirling, he pointed at the caricature. "That's her husband!"

"Shut up!" squawked Mrs. Blye and went home.

Gilbert Blye at that time was quite far from the scene of Honoria's capture or even of Ned's wanderings. He was dining with Tommy Thomas, and a rather elderly woman, and a doll-like girl with swiftly advancing crow's feet at the corners of her eyes, and Orin Cunningham, and a heavy lidded, short haired, big man named Edwards, whom they called T. J. With the arrival of the coffee Blye told the time from a tiny gold watch, the only one he carried now.

"The runaway bride!" laughed Cunningham.

"I'm in a hurry," Blye explained. "I told you when we came here that I had to leave at 8."

"Of course we know where you are going," Tommy challenged him.

June was sitting in her lonely little bedroom waiting for Marie, whom she had sent out to a drug store for toilet articles. Mrs. Boales suddenly knocked.

"A gentleman to see Miss Justin," she announced; "a gentleman with a black beard and a diamond ring and a gold filling in one tooth. He says it's Mr. Blye. I lit the parlor lamp for him."

June wondered what she should do.

Ned Warner, riding aimlessly and disconsolately on a street car and looking out earnestly at every passerby, suddenly caught sight of one pedestrian who made his heart jump. Marie! She was jogging industriously along with a bundle under her arm and a very clear idea of direction apparent in her very speed. Ned ran after her. At the Boales door Marie heard the sound of running footsteps, turned with normal curiosity, saw Ned, let herself in at the door and closed it with a slam, snapped on the night lock and flew upstairs.

"He's coming, Miss June!" she cried. "Mr. Ned!"

Ned! June's heart leaped within her, and for a moment she was flooded with a mad impulse to run down and be folded in his arms and forgiven. No! She must be strong for her own sake and for his, for the sake of their ultimate mutual self respect and the fullness of the love which can be founded on that alone!

"Meet me at that little hotel to which we were first going," she directed Marie hastily, and, snatching her hat and coat, she hurried down the stairs and out of the back door.

June had forgotten Gilbert Blye absolutely, but he had not forgotten her. He saw June in flight and followed her.

Mrs. Boales answered a violent knocking at the door, to find herself confronted by the wild eyed Ned Warner.

"Where is my wife?" he demanded.

"What's her name?"

"June. She's here! I saw her maid just come in! Marie! Where are they?"

"That's her!" Mrs. Boales was pleased. "Some calls her Moore and some Warner and some Justin, but her name's always June. There's a black whiskered man here to see her now. Name's Blye. He's in the parlor." And she craned in at the parlor door with scarcely a shift of her position. "No, he ain't! Has he dared to go up to her room in my house?"

Ned burst past her and sprang up the stairs.

"First door to the right!" yelled Mrs. Boales.

Nothing happened. Ned burst in at the first door to the right. The room was empty!

Then up climbed Mayme Bates, the maid.

"If it's Miss Justin you're hunting," said Mayme.

"I saw her and a black whiskered gentleman go out of the back door not more than three minutes ago!"

Ned Warner plunged down the stairs faster than he had gone up and slammed out of the back door, to find himself confronted by the endless universe!

To the right or to the left? And when he reached the alley mouth, which way then? Right or left?

In the meantime the driven June, hurrying aimlessly, looked back at every turning to see if the man she loved were following her.

At each turning a dark figure, quicker than she, sprang into hiding behind tree trunk or gatepost or doorway or corner, selecting each hiding place before he left the last. And the figure was Gilbert Blye, black Vandyked, swaggering of gait and smiling.

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A LECTURE
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**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE: THE REVE-
LATION OF DIVINE POWER**

Before an audience which filled the lower floor and a large portion of the gallery at the La Crosse theater last night, Bliss Knapp, C. S. B., delivered, under the auspices of First Church of Christ, Scientist, a powerful lecture upon "Christian Science: The Revelation of Divine Power." The speaker was introduced by Mr. Leigh Toland. Following is the full text of the address:

During many centuries men have grown accustomed to think of religion as a haven of rest to those in sorrow and temptation. But while religion ministers to the mind, it regards the diseased body in helpless compassion. Such helplessness contrasts strongly with the religion of Jesus Christ, who made no distinction between mind and body. He asked, "Whether is easier to say, 'Thy sins be forgiven thee,' or to say, 'Arise and walk?'" He set the standard of religious achievement by healing sickness and sin by the same prayer. It is the purpose of Christian Science to increase the joy of life by restoring to the infinite compassion of Jesus' teachings the lost element of healing.

The invalid is not frightened at his disease. It is the possible termination of that disease that frightens him. Then his frightened sense finds sweet consolation in the Master's teaching, "I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly." There followed, too, the explanation, "This is life eternal, that they might know thee the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom thou hast sent." Two things are therefore needful to save one's life. It is to know God, and also His Son Jesus Christ. Some believe that Jesus was God, and that belief excludes the God and Father to whom Jesus himself prayed. The condition of thought that sets aside Christian healing may not be so much a lack of faith, as a complete omission from prayer of any recognition of the God and Father to whom Jesus prayed.

JESUS NOT GOD.
It was the day of the resurrection, early in the morning, that Jesus appeared to Mary and sent her with a message, saying, "Go to my brethren, and say unto them, 'I ascend unto my Father and your Father; and unto my God, and your God.'" Now if Jesus were God, as so many believe, and there is one God, how could God have brethren? Inasmuch as he recognized himself to be, not God, but the Son of God, he could have brethren and could truthfully say, "Go to my brethren, and say unto them, 'I ascend unto my Father and your Father; and unto my God, and your God.'" When Jesus was before the tomb of Lazarus, it is recorded that he "lifted up his eyes, and said, 'Father, I thank thee that thou hast heard me. And I knew that thou hearest me always.'" He certainly was not praying to himself on that occasion. Previously he had said to the woman of Samaria at the well, "God is Spirit." When, therefore, the disciples gathered around to examine the spear wound and the nail prints, he took occasion to remind them that "Spirit hath not flesh and bones as ye see me here." From that the disciples knew that the human form of Jesus was not God. Indeed, to worship a fleshly form would be in conflict with the second commandment of the Decalogue, which forbids the worship of any graven image. Jesus recognized, moreover, that the power he employed was not himself, for he said, "I can of mine own self do nothing; but because I see not mine own will, but the will of the Father which hath sent me." Again he said, referring to himself, "The Son can do nothing of himself, but what he seeth the Father do."

GOD'S HEALING NATURE.
In the face of so much popular misconception about what God really is, Jesus found it exceedingly difficult to get the people to accept the truth about Him. It was necessary to avoid, in so far as possible, any statement about God that would be open to doubt or controversy. He endeavored therefore to portray a right apprehension of God by making the people familiar with the effect of divine power on humanity. The popular belief prevailed then as now that God sends sickness to discipline mortals and bring them to God. But when Jesus portrayed the nature of God as He actually is, it had the effect of healing the sick in every case and thereby proved, in a manner that admitted of no doubt or controversy, that sickness is no part of God's nature. Another popular belief adhered to then as now was that God knows, or at least permits, sin. That too was disposed of by showing the effect divine power had in cleansing sinners even as light dispels darkness. Moreover people believed then as now that God takes away our loved ones for inscrutable purpose; and this belief has unquestionably thrust more people into infidelity and agnosticism than have ever been rescued therefrom. But when Jesus declared the truth about God as He actually is, it destroyed death and the grave, and thereby proved the nature of God to be life. "For I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly." "This is

life eternal, that they might know thee, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom thou hast sent." People could see the physical changes wrought by Jesus readily enough, and in a manner that admitted of no doubt. But a natural question to follow is this—Could it be taught to others? It is said that no one really understands a thing for himself, until he can teach it to another. That Jesus made disciples who could repeat his healing ministry was the proof that the healing power could be taught to others, and that he understood it. Indeed the early Christians proved the same thing by continuing those works of healing for 300 years after the time of Jesus. Even so the Christian Scientist is today perpetuating that healing ministry just to the degree that he gains a correct understanding of Him "whom to know aright is life eternal,"—an understanding of the God and Father to whom Jesus prayed.

HEALING LAW.
The first man in Bible history to know God well enough to heal sickness and sin was Moses, and it came about by his recognition that the divine power operates through law. Before that he knew God only as the great "I am," but that was not sufficient to win confidence in himself as the messenger of God. The necessity of him to speak the truth about God so convincingly that the people would actually believe what he said, was the occasion for God to reveal His healing nature by two distinct signs. The first was with the rod by which was proved the divine supremacy over personified evil. The second was the healing of leprosy. Perhaps those two were selected because none but the power of God has ever been known to destroy leprosy and sin. But that exhibition of divine power over sickness and sin revealed to Moses the existence of a well defined law of healing which enabled him, thereafter, to employ the divine power, guided by the intelligence of a well defined law, in healing leprosy and serpent bites. It revealed to him the existence of certain facts concerning the healing nature of God in which no variation has ever been perceived. It marked the existence of an unchanging law of healing with which human beings had been hitherto unacquainted. It revealed something so definite and tangible about the nature of God that the people believed him just as God said they would.

GOD IS TRUTH.
Now that which Moses saw in the healing power of God was the Truth; whereupon he declared, "Thou art a God of truth." David later declared in the psalms, "Thy law is the truth." And Jesus indicated the intimate relation that exists between Truth and the healing law, when he said, "Ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." That is, a knowledge of God, not as a human form, but as Truth has a healing effect. Mrs. Eddy has therefore accepted that scriptural definition that God is Truth, and also its intimate relation to law; for she has written in Science and Health, "Not personal intercommunion but divine law is the communicator of truth, health, and harmony to earth and humanity."

It is true that every system of religion known to men claims to be the promulgation of revealed truth; but that which differentiates the demonstrable revelation of Jesus Christ from all others is its power to give life and to restore health. It is the life-giving power in Christian truth which makes it demonstrable in healing sickness and sin. One school of philosophers has propounded the theory that truth is two-fold; that there is one truth called reason, and another truth called revelation, but that revelation has no law and is lacking in a reasonable explanation. The result is agnosticism. Christianity, on the other hand, teaches there is but one Truth and this Truth is God. It teaches moreover that divine Truth is expressed through law which may be understood and demonstrated in Christian healing. This teaching reconciles reason and revelation in the oneness of Truth.

TRUE WORSHIP.
Some may feel they have lost their God in thinking of Him as Truth; but Jesus declared in all earnestness that "The true worshippers shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth." That may be clarified by another of Jesus' sayings: "None is good save one, that is God." Now the spirit or law of infinite good is goodness, and the true worshippers can worship infinite good only through goodness. For example: No one goes directly to the basic meaning of mathematics. He must go by way of its rules or laws. The simple law that two and two are four mediates between the basic meaning of mathematics and the prospective student. Even so no one can go directly to infinite good. He must go by way of goodness, which is the law or attribute of infinite good. That is, he must worship infinite good in the understanding of goodness. Mrs. Eddy has said in Science and Health, "A pure affection takes form in goodness." Then as one entertains an affection for others that is pure and constant, it takes form in goodness, which is an attribute of God. In this simple process he comprehends the law of goodness, and in the understanding of it he reaches to the actual recognition of infinite good. In the same spiritual understanding of divine law shall one worship the God and Father who is Spirit and Truth.

GOD IS PRINCIPLE.
As the nature of God continued to unfold before the vision of St. John, it was revealed to him that "God is love." Paul described the intimate relation that exists between Love and Truth when he said, "Love is the fulfilling of the law." Other scriptural names used to define the nature of God are Soul and Mind. Christian Science accepts all those descriptive definitions of deity and adds one more. Since there is a di-

vine law to express the healing, it is reasonable to suppose it must have a Principle. That is, the nature of God must include Principle as a descriptive definition. But far from expressing any of the coldness of an inanimate law, the divine Principle comprehends all intelligence, gentleness, peace and power to heal and save mankind through law. If one were to stand at the base of the great pyramid and gaze in wonder at its vast dimensions, he could not see its whole structure from that single viewpoint. He must see it from the north and the south, the east and the west. He must explore its passages and chambers within. Not until he had seen it from every angle, and learned the meaning of its structure and design, could it be said that he had actually seen the pyramid. In like manner the various scriptural names which are employed to define the nature of God are all essential to a complete understanding of Him.

TRUE INTELLIGENCE.
The Christian Scientist becomes familiar with God's ways in a most practical manner. Jesus referred to God as "my God and your God." He is therefore my Mind and your Mind. The practical operation of that was proved to me when I was a student in the elementary schools. For a month I was troubled with a difficulty that may be described in the words of Psalm 107: "The good that I would I do not; but the evil which I would not, that I do." With me it was a difficulty in answering my school problems correctly. Though I might know the correct answer, I would invariably say the wrong thing. Instead of excusing that on the basis of stupidity, Paul saw in such conditions the warning of the fleshly mind, and so did my parents who were Christian Scientists. My mother proceeded to heal me of that difficulty according to the teachings of Christian Science. With wonderful patience she explained to me, in language I could easily understand, the reason why children go to school. It is not so much to assimilate a large mass of facts as it is to develop certain faculties; such for example as perception, reason, memory and application. Then she explained to me that they are faculties of the divine Mind, and as such must be reflected through all alike. It concedes the right to every one to achieve the mental might of a genius. Inasmuch as God is my Mind and my intelligence, it was my right and duty to claim and exercise that intelligence which knows all that is necessary to know. So clear was my relation to divine intelligence established, that I ceased to limit my mental capacity by the size of a brain. Its scope was broadened to that larger view of divine intelligence which transcends brain. The explanation was continued until I could realize to a degree my true relation to God who is the only Mind and intelligence. When I could realize this, it became a reality to me, with the result that I was completely healed of the difficulty. The truth about God and my relation to Him had set me free. Therein is the proof that no human intelligence has any validity if contrary to the divine faculties; and such of the human faculties as are valid, must derive their validity from the divine.

MIND OF CHRIST.
We have no record in the four gospels that Jesus ever permitted himself to be deceived or taken advantage of in any way. Had he been victimized, it would have been by reason of a lack of intelligence. But he claimed and exercised the divine intelligence that knows all that is necessary to know, and thereby set the standard for all mankind. It was the Mind which was in Christ Jesus that enabled him to heal the sick, even when they were absent from him, as in the cases of the centurion's servant and the Syrophenician's daughter. It was the Mind which was in Christ Jesus that enabled him to heal leprosy and raise the dead, even to the raising of himself from the tomb. It was this Mind which constituted his divinity, and enabled him to say, "I and my Father are one," and also the correlative statement, "My Father is greater than I." It was the divine Mind which was in Christ Jesus that enabled him to say, "Before Abraham was, I am," and "Lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world." We are moreover enjoined by the scriptures to "Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus." And "Be ye therefore perfect even as your Father which is in heaven is perfect."

THE COMFORTER.
Before Jesus went away he promised us another Comforter. That no misconception might arise, he took the precaution to explain the nature of this promised Comforter. It should not be a man, nor a person, but rather the impersonal "Spirit of truth." He explained further that the "Spirit of truth" would lead mankind into all truth, even to the very source of truth which is God, and it would testify of him. Now the spirit of Truth is its law—the law which communicates God's healing power to humanity. That law, moreover, requires a science which can interpret it and be reasonably understood. Since the law is divine, its Science must be a divine or Christian Science. That is what Christian Science is—the spiritual understanding of divine law as applied to the needs of humanity. It is not an invention. It is the discovery of what has always been true, and what always must be the real Comforter to suffering humanity.

Sometimes it seems that one is so completely overwhelmed by sorrow and grief that all the comfort and consolation of human affection seems helpless to brighten the thought. Then we need to remember that there is a sorrow that purifies, and another sorrow that works evil, and will sweeten or sour the disposition according to the direction it takes. But in the apparent helplessness of insurmountable grief, there is the consolation that the power of

one's right desire can steer its course unerringly into repentance and purification. In the momentum of that directed experience no harm can overtake us. Only good can come out of it. Such an assurance removes the fear and heals the grief. This is the real Comforter at work in the human consciousness, purifying one's thoughts and motives. There is therefore a grief that is salutary; for it sweetens the disposition, chastens the affections and enables one to be charitable toward the faults of others.

MRS. EDDY'S DISCOVERY.
The preparation for Mrs. Eddy's great discovery seemed to include much of the sorrow and suffering that purifies one's thought and purpose. Mrs. Eddy was a gentle woman of deep religious experience, trained from her youth to seek in divine guidance actual relief from sickness and distress. Added to that was an unusual intellectual ability which received careful training and development, so that she had great personal charm by reason of her refined manners and well-balanced mind. Then, in the flower of her youth, she was overwhelmed with grief at the loss of all that seemed near and dear to her. There followed a long period of invalidism and the search for a remedy, which culminated in the conviction that disease responds most readily to a mental remedy. Still abiding in that conviction, she met with an accident which was so serious that it was expected to result fatally. Knowing that only spiritual things could save her, she turned to her Bible for help, and as she read those spiritual truths, she was wonderfully healed. That was in 1866. There was her proof of mental healing, and that the divine Mind is the healer to comfort in sorrow and in sickness. The next step was to learn the Science of that healing and, as she states in Science and Health, page 109, "I won my way to absolute conclusions through divine revelation, reason, and demonstration." Again she writes, "Reason and revelation were reconciled, and afterwards the truth of Christian Science was demonstrated," page 110. She stated that Science in the Christian Science textbook so simply and logically that the simple reading of that book has brought the healing Comforter to multitudes of those in sickness and distress, and made them every whit whole.

Mrs. Eddy had thus become the discoverer of Christian Science, and the founding of its institutional work was to follow. In her joy to share such a great blessing she appealed to the spiritual thought of learned men, only to suffer the rebuff of dignified silence. Her first ray of hope came when that silence was turned into ridicule and abuse; for it meant that she had gained at least a hearing. Deserted by friends and relatives and opposed by subtle and powerful influences whichever way she turned, this woman patiently kept her course in the founding of the various institutions of Christian Science, until the movement has spread itself over this world, and all within her own lifetime. By her clear statement of scientific Christianity, Mrs. Eddy has enormously increased the number of followers of Christ's teachings. The sick are healed of bodily ailments by reading its literature; the sinner may know how to liberate himself from his sin; and greatest of all, the pure-minded is given the power to save himself from the general belief in sin, so that the good he desires to do, that he can do. Mrs. Eddy has therefore proved, in accordance with the vision in the apocalypse, that a pure-minded woman, armed with Science, can unlock the secrets of "the law of the spirit of life in Christ Jesus," and reveal the promised Comforter.

Try as hard as one may, it is impossible to separate Moses from the commandments, or Jesus from the beatitudes. When Jesus had that exalted vision of law and prophecy on the Mount of Transfiguration, the human representative of law and prophecy became apparent to those near enough to get the lesson. It is equally certain that the human representative of scientific Christianity can never be separated from the spiritual treasures which she has opened to our use.

OPPOSING VIEWPOINTS.
A perplexing feature about Christian Science is that some very astute thinkers are readily baffled by its teachings, while others like the fishermen of Galilee listen gladly and understand. The difficulty is largely in the viewpoint. The logic of Christian Science always starts with God and ascribes to Him all intelligence and ascribes mental life to Him who transcends brain. Most schoolmen, on the other hand, are trained to regard brain as the seat of the intellect, and matter as the fundamental basis of thought. These two opposing systems of philosophy, strange as it may seem, have their authority in the first two chapters of Genesis in the Bible. The first chapter, sometimes called the Elohist record of creation, presents an absolutely good God, the source of all intelligence and being, who knows no evil. The second chapter and thereafter, called the Jehovist record of Creation, presents a mixture of good and evil which results in a third power called mankind, and this third power is supposed to derive from the basis of matter the intelligence to interpret both good and evil. Now a talking serpent was the author of that second record, and he is supposed to lie in all that he said. In fact there is no such thing in the animal kingdom as a talking serpent. When contrasted, the two systems of creation are absolute opposites, so that if one is true the other must be false. Every system of religion and philosophy known to men, with but one exception, is founded on the supposed mixture of good and evil. That single exception which is founded on an absolutely good God who knows no evil, is the teaching of Christ Jesus and of Christian Science. Further-

more that system alone can destroy both sickness and sin. As a mode of salvation from the ravages of sin and disease, the two systems take opposite directions. The Christian Scientist gains relief in a better understanding of God. The materialist seeks it in a knowledge of matter. The Christian Scientist learns that mortal, or human mind and body are one, and that the disease is the only law-giver. The materialist separates mind and body into two separate entities, which are swayed by good or evil as some inscrutable nature or chance may direct. In such apparent servitude, it seems incredible to him that Jesus could, by an opposite method, exhibit such complete mastery over storm and disease. His incredulity forbids him to change his course. The philosophy of the serpent separates the poor mortal into a physical and a philosophical structure, and the human brain studies him from the basis of physiology as it would a living machine, having parts and functions. Biology dissects him as it would a living plant; and zoology treats him as the highest form of an animal. Entirely separate from the physical is the philosophical structure, where philology seeks to investigate the traits and characteristics of human speech and language. Material ethics outline his proper moral relations to his fellow men; and psychology develops various systems of mental influence through the will and suggestion. All these branches of learning, together with their many subdivisions, go to make up the human intellect as it is evolved from matter or brain. But "what shall it profit a man, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul?"

"MATTER IS MORTAL ERROR"
If matter is supposed to be the seat of the human intellect, we ought to know its nature. It is true that no one ever understood it; but we may nevertheless know its nature. We can for instance know whether matter is truth or error. For example: Consider applied mechanics. There is nothing in the material universe any more accurate than applied mechanics. The most accurate piece of mechanism is supposed to be an ordinary time-piece or watch. Every such mechanical device requires, in its construction, the use of weights or measurements. In other words, weights and measurements are fundamental to the highest form of material accuracy. An essential point to determine with weights and measurements is the degree of their accuracy. Are they absolute, or do they merely approximate truth? The most accurate implement for weighing purposes, in its simplest form, is a horizontal beam balanced on a fulcrum. If the fulcrum is a knife edge, much of the friction which would impede the swing of the balance would be overcome. If the fulcrum were a razor edge there would be even less friction and more accuracy to the instrument. To protect it from air currents and air friction, it should be enclosed in a vacuum. But a perfect vacuum is impossible, and a razor edge can bear no weight without dulling. Friction cannot be entirely eliminated. There is simply an approximation to truth. And that which produces the friction, and introduces the error is matter. So much for weighing instruments. As for measurements, a micrometer gauge might be employed to measure the diameter of a human hair to within one ten-thousandth of an inch, but it never could be absolute. As a mental proposition, there are twelve inches in a foot of space. That is an absolute truth when considered mentally. But the moment you apply it to matter, the error is introduced. Matter is the thing that introduces the error, because its nature is error. Since it is mortal or perishable, "Matter is mortal error," as Mrs. Eddy teaches; and mortal error should never be the basis of intelligence, religion or medicine.

David in the psalms has asked, "who can understand his errors?" Nobody can. You can not understand an error that may be introduced into your mathematical problem. Indeed no intelligent mathematician will even try. Rather will he seek more accurately to understand the rule of truth that governs the problem, and to act in obedience thereto. Then the error disappears, and where has it gone? Where, for example, does two and two are five go? It is not true, and it never originated in anything true. Neither did it originate in anything real; for that which is real is true. Its nature is, therefore, unreality. And yet, that error is actually real to the student's ignorance of the truth, but it ceases utterly to exist to his understanding of the truth. Consequently that error is real or unreal according to the student's ignorance or intelligence. That is why Jesus said, "Ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free."

DISEASE MENTAL.
Jesus healed physical disease on the basis that the Truth makes free. Four thousand years of medicine has endeavored to force the conclusion that disease is purely physical, and that it requires a physical remedy. The result is that diseases have actually multiplied. Jesus proved that sickness, disease and fear are the errors and not the truths of being, and they can be healed by a mental process. Their basis being wholly material, and matter being mortal error, the truth of God dispels those errors just as light dispels darkness just as the understanding that two and two are four dispels any denial of that fact. And when one understands that truth, he does not have to sit up nights to be certain of it in the morning. Jesus so understood the nature of God as Truth, that he could make it just as consciously apparent to the man with the withered hand, and that diseased condition was wiped out by that process just as effectually as one could take a sponge and wipe out the wrong figures on the blackboard. It is generally recognized that certain nervous disorders are mental; for though the person may be

sick almost to distraction, examination may disclose no diseased organ, tissue or nerve. He may have apparent physical ailments, such as that trinity of disorders known as dyspepsia, heart palpitation, and insomnia; but an examination discloses no organic disease. The patient's troubles are actually unreal, in the sense that they have no physical cause. But to the patient they are decidedly real, in the sense that he feels them constantly, and can not free himself from them. Though a patient may be perfectly sane while suffering from some nervous ailment, his belief must be changed before he can experience his healing. That is never brought about by imagining himself well. Such primitive emotions as fear and anger, which are common to men and beasts, are said to produce depressing and poisonous conditions. The thought of guilt is said to be even more deleterious. Anger may cause a person to become flushed or pallid in the face, indicating the mental control of the circulation. Indeed it may stop one's digestion altogether, showing how one's thought has equal control over the digestive system. A severe examination may affect students with retarded digestion due to their fear. With the proof that functional disorders are mental in their cause, due to erroneous thinking, investigation has convinced until medical experiments have proved that diabetes is entirely the result of fear or emotion. In fact it is more generally conceded today that consumption may be just a consuming fear. That may be the reason why no drug or medicine ever healed them. The Christian Science text-book says: "The procuring cause and foundation of all sickness is fear, ignorance, or sin." It teaches, in other words, that all sickness is unreal in the sense that it has no physical cause.

So long as one believes his malady is physical, he naturally feels helpless. But when he knows it is the result of erroneous thought, then he is encouraged in the conscious ability to change that thinking by the presence and power of God's truth. Some fears seem more real than others. They seem more real when tissue disorganization is apparent. But when examination discloses no diseased organ or nerve, those fears are regarded as intangible and superstitious. The fear from superstition is called a delusion, and is said to be unreal. The patient is said to be deceived by an unreality. In either case we must know how to prove to the patient the unreality of his fear, just as Jesus did when he said, "Peace be still," and the storm abated. Physicians have observed that the depressing and poisonous effects of fear, anger, hatred, jealousy and so forth are relieved by the wholesome effects of faith, hope, cheerfulness and loving kindness which promote health. How then shall they be administered to the patient? The method taught by the schools is by suggestion, human will, and human reason, which are as material as the disease. They may be employed just as well by a wicked man, by an infidel or a pagan—one who knows nothing about the truth of God. The Christian Scientist, on the other hand, employs only the spiritual Mind which transcends brain or matter. That Mind is never transmitted through suggestion; because it is everywhere present, and its government prevails wherever it is most needed by the patient. We simply have to understand the ever-presence and activity of that truth for the patient, and the truth makes free. The scripture says that "Fear hath torment," but "perfect love casteth out fear." There is no remedy known to the human consciousness for fear of any sort, save alone divine love. It is that understanding of the divine Mind, whose nature is Love, that gives to the Christian Scientist the spiritual power to wipe out the fear of consumption and to remove its physical effects. It is on that basis that Christian Science heals all manner of disease.

HUMAN WILL.
A well known naturalist once described an interesting experience that illustrates the operation of human will. He described two men on the western plains, intent on observing the distant horizon two rapidly moving objects. In their rapid movements these objects drew nearer and nearer, until it could be observed that they were two elk—the larger one in hot pursuit of the smaller. The smaller one was fleeing for his life and relying on his strength of animal will for safety. But even the animal had instinct to know that his animal will was getting wearied and exhausted, indeed that it had an end, and with its end would come his own destruction. Whereupon even that animal began to look beyond, outside himself, for some higher, greater power on which to rely. Recognizing as his instinct a greater power in humanity, he rushed to the feet of those two men and stopped in their protection. The larger man, observing the situation, checked his pace, circled about twice and then loped away. Thus it is with suffering humanity. Relying on the strength of human will for healing, it finally discovers that the human will gets wearied, run down and exhausted; that it has an end, and with its end, hope is swallowed up in despair. In that extreme situation, when the physician makes that solemn pronouncement, "There is no more hope, because there is no more strength of will to sustain life or existence," then poor, suffering humanity begins to look beyond, outside itself for some higher, greater power on which to rely. Then "Man's extremity is God's opportunity." Turning to the one source of intelligence for guidance, humanity feels the touch of Truth, or reality, and is made well again. He finds himself sustained by the gentle presence and peace of divine Love. In that sweet sense of heaven here and now, he feels a strength and power that is never wearied, never exhausted; but is eternal in heaven—the heaven that the Jesus said is

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IMMORTALITY.
Most Christians believe in immortality; but, whereas many believe that immortality is a condition to be gained only beyond the grave, the Christian Scientist believes that the divine intelligence which makes man immortal, is a present possibility. No one has to die before he can understand goodness through a pure affection and exercise the power of it, and goodness is an attribute or law of God. No one has to die before he can understand honesty from Principle and exercise the power of it, and honesty is a law of God. Indeed as one understands those attributes his thinking is expressed in them. That thinking must be spiritual thinking; it is of God. And having its source in God, it can no more be lost, disintegrated or destroyed than can God from whom it proceeds. Such thinking, therefore, can never cease to be conscious thinking. If one were to meet with an accident which would render him unconscious for a week, he would learn upon recovery that the accident never impaired his honesty, never impaired his goodness. That mental life that transcends brain could never cease to be like itself, and could never cease to express the consciousness of life. An accident could never change the character of that spiritual thinking to unconsciousness. Jesus proved this fact while he was yet in the tomb. His spiritual thinking that transcends matter or brain was consciously at work, proving the facts of immortality life, which destroyed death and removed the stone from the mouth of the tomb. And we are enjoined to "Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus."

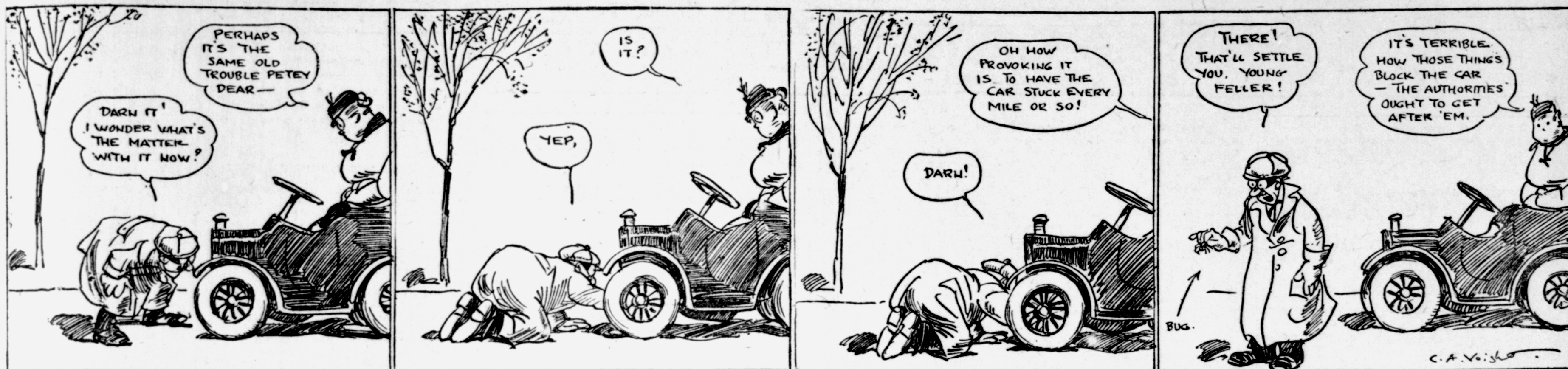
ONE VIEWPOINT.
Some hesitate to accept the teaching that there is one Mind through fear of losing their individuality. But only one mind is governed by God is he properly self-governed. If he is not self-governed, he loses his individuality. He saves his individuality only to the degree that he is governed by his true self-hood in the one Mind. No one ever lost his individuality simply because there is one honesty, or one goodness, or one two times two are four. Job said, "Thou art in one Mind," and Paul said, quoting from a Greek poet, "In Him we live and move, and have our being." Jesus gives us the right to refer to God as "My God." Then, since He is one Mind, the Christian has an equal right to say, "God is my Mind, my intelligence, my honesty, my life." Individuals in distress have been known to cling so devotedly to the one fact, that God is their life, and to the exclusion of all else, as actually to realize the truth of it, and to be wonderfully healed thereby. Then, since God is our Mind, and "In Him we live and move and have our being," we do not look up to Him in the distant heavens; "for, behold, the kingdom of God is within you." We should therefore look out from Him, from His viewpoint, with His intelligence, and see things as He sees them, pure, perfect, harmonious and well. Indeed, from what other viewpoint should we see them? Clothed with that Mind which was also in Christ Jesus, and viewing all things from the viewpoint of the one Mind, Christians are endowed with the power of sons and daughters of God to cast out all that is unlike God, including sorrow, sickness and sin. Christian Science orders that truth about God, and of man's relation to Him, in so simple and practical a manner that it has established the return of primitive Christian healing.

OFFICIALS CONTINUE SEARCH
OCONOMOWOC, Wis., March 7.—Waukesha county officials have begun a new search for relatives of the man who was killed by a freight train near Okauchee on Saturday. The body had been identified as that of Jacob Schwartz, 17, of Chicago.

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FOR SALE OR RENT—Upright Sommer piano. Call 931 West avenue south. 3 13 17

FOR SALE—7 h. p. 2 cylinder Thor motorcycle, equipped with gas tank, lamp and luggage carrier. Good as new, \$140. C. Nelson, 301 Main street. 3 12 18

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—320 acres near New Salem, N. D. There is no better soil to be found than this place, all tillable. Address New Salem Land, care Tribune. 2 27 17

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FOR SALE—One team of horses. Inquire of F. Bartl Brewing Co. 3 15 17

FOR SALE—Brush runabout, \$125. A-1 condition and equipped complete. Gross, "the Cycle Man," 324 Jay street. 3 16 31

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FOR SALE—Ten tons of alfalfa hay on premises. Van Loon, Bell phone 2054. 3 16 17

FOR SALE—House. 1726 Johnson. 3 16 14 15

FOR SALE—Horse, twenty chickens and furniture, cheap if taken at once. Denton and Lofey boulevard. 3 16 18

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FOR SALE—Ten room modern house, very cheap if taken before April 1. Address O. G. Tribune. 3 9 22

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FOR SALE—Portable frame garage, size 12x18. Call up C. W. Lewis, care Plow Co. 3 8 27

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FOR RENT—Eight room modern house; also for sale or rent, one fourteen room house, five acres of land. 1197-M. 3 15 17

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FOR RENT—Nice large office room over 307 Main street. City heat. Call 194-C new phone. 3 17 27

FOR RENT—Eight room modern flat, 917 South Sixteenth. Inquire 919 South Sixteenth. 3 17 19

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FOR RENT—Seven room house. Call 1532-Red. 3 16 22

FOR RENT—Room, 315 South Fifth. 3 16 29

FOR RENT—Garage. 424 South Fourth. Phone 1087-R. 3 13 20

FOR RENT—Two basements, Fifth and Cass. Inquire 427 So. Fourth. 3 16 20

FOR RENT—Modern rooms with or without board. 709 Caledonia St. 3 15 20

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FOR RENT—Three modern furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 712 Cass. 3 12 14

FOR RENT—Six room brick house. 1830 South Front, \$9.00. 3 15 17

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FOR RENT—Three furnished light rooms housekeeping rooms. 714 Cass. 3 8 20

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, with or without board. 627 Vine. 3 11 17

FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern home. 802 Ferry. 3 10 21

FOR RENT—Four rooms. Inquire 935 Market. 3 10 17

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, modern. 201 South Fifth. 3 12 25

FOR RENT—Single Comb Rhode Island Red eggs for hatching. John Kampschroer, 911 So. Fourth. 3 13 19

FOR SALE—Pure Barred Rock eggs, \$1 per 15; \$4 per 100. Six large cockerels. Van Loon, bell phone 2054. 3 16 17

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching. Pure bred Barred Plymouth Rock, 75c for fifteen. 509 Tyler. 3 16 22

FOR SALE—Pure bred White Leghorn eggs for hatching. New phone 1178-A. 3 17 19

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WANTED—Good delivery horse, at City Grocery. 3 17 19

WANTED—Work on farm by reliable young man. Wages moderate. Address A. B. care Tribune. 3 17 18

WANTED TO RENT—Modern six or seven room house by April 15. Dr. J. W. Lawrence. 3 17 19

WANTED—By young man, a position as clerk in grocery store. Nine years experience, and best of reference. Address Grocery, care of Tribune. 3 16 18

CURTAINS done up and repaired. Called for and delivered. Call new phone 1415-M, mornings. 3 15 20

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WANTED TO RENT—Five or six room modern house by April 10. Address S. A. care this office. 3 13 19

HAIR SWITCHES made from your own combings, at 1311 South Fourth. Work guaranteed. New phone 1279-R. 3 11 17

BAGGAGE AND DRAYING—Rubbish and ash hauling. G. A. Krueger. New phone 1541-A. 3 10 23

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LOST—White toy poodle dog on North side. Return 709 Charles. New phone 1342-M. Reward. 3 16 19

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LIVESTOCK YESTERDAY

UNION STOCK YARDS, March 16—Hogs—Receipts 25,000; market slow, shade lower; mixed and butchers, \$6.65 to \$6.95; good heavy, \$6.80 to \$6.90; rough heavy, \$6.40 to \$6.55; light, \$6.70 to \$6.95; pigs, \$5.50 to \$6.80.

Cattle—Receipts 3,500; market weak; beefs, \$5.80 to \$8.75; cows and heifers, \$3.30 to \$7.70; Texans, \$5.50 to \$6.60; calves, \$6.50 to \$10.00.

Sheep—Receipts 15,000; market steady; native, \$7.10 to \$8.00; western, \$7.20 to \$8.15; lambs, \$7.60 to \$9.95; western, \$7.75 to \$10.10.

LIVESTOCK WEEK AGO

UNION STOCK YARDS, March 9.—Hogs—Receipts 25,000; market dull and 5% lower; mixed and butchers, \$6.65 to \$6.95; good heavy, \$6.80 to \$6.90; rough heavy, \$6.35 to \$6.60; light, \$6.65 to \$6.95; pigs, \$5.75 to \$6.75.

Cattle—Receipts 4,000; market weak; beefs, \$5.85 to \$9.00; cows and heifers, \$3.40 to \$7.80; Texans, \$5.50 to \$6.65; calves, \$6.50 to \$9.75.

Sheep—Receipts 12,000; market steady; native, \$7.00 to \$7.90; western, \$7.15 to \$7.90; lambs, \$7.60 to \$9.75; western, \$7.70 to \$9.85.

PROMISES PROBE OF LINDSEY'S WAR WITH "THE BEAST"

DENVER, Col., March 17.—The bitter fight which has centered about Judge Ben B. Lindsey of the juvenile court for years is to have a complete airing. This was the assurance from District Attorney Rush today. He is preparing to call witnesses from both sides who have been prominent in the fight, and in addition will welcome any other testimony that may be offered.

Perjury, libel, falsifying records, theft and forgery are only a few of the charges which have been hurled back and forth during the fight between Judge Lindsey and what he terms "the beast."

Hard Command to Obey.

Irate Sergeant (to unhappy recruit, who won't "cut it short")—Silence wid you!—when you're spakin' to a h'officer!—London Opinion.

Daily Markets

Wholesale Fruit (Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Oysters, best standards, gal. \$1.10
Celery, California, per doz. 60 to 75c
Cider, steam refined, bbl. \$6.50
Cider, pure juice, bbl. \$6.00
Cider, crab apple, half bbl. \$5.50
Cider, steam refined, half bbl. \$3.50
Cider, pure juice, half bbl. \$3.25

Cranberries, Jerseys, Golden
Lemons, silver, "Sunkist" box. \$4.00
Lemons, Red ball, per box. \$3.50
Oranges, Fancy Navel, \$2.75
Oranges, Ex. Choice \$2.50
Oranges, choice \$2.25
Bananas, bunch \$2.00
Grapes, green, keg \$5.00
Apples, 5 boxes, asst'd, box \$1.25
Apples, barrels, N. Y. Baldwins

Reds, Dark Red, bbl. \$5.00
Apples, Ben Davis, bbl. \$3.00
Onions, red or yellow, hd. \$1.75
Potatoes, per bushel \$1.00
Grape Fruit, size 36 \$2.25
Grape Fruit, size 46 \$2.50
Grape Fruit, size 64 \$2.75
Grape Fruit, size 84 \$2.75
Onions, sets, white, bu. \$2.00
Onion sets, red, bu. \$1.75
Onion sets, yellow, bu. \$1.75

Livestock (By Farmers' Co-operative Packing Company.)

Hogs \$5.80 to \$6.25
Cows \$8.00 to \$5.00
Steers \$8.00 to \$7.00
Heifers \$8.50 to \$5.50
Sheep \$3.50 to \$4.00
Lambs \$6.00 to \$6.50

Poultry

Chickens \$12 to 13c
Turkeys \$12 to 14c
Ducks \$11c
Geese \$10c

Provisions

Lard, per pound \$11 to 11½c
Shoulders, per pound \$10 to 10½c
Pics, per pound \$10 to 10½c
Bacon, per pound \$16 to 22c
Hams, per pound \$13 to 14c
Dried beef, per pound \$18 to 22c

Flour and Feed (Quoted by Listman Mill Co.)

Patent, per barrel \$7.90
Straight, per barrel \$7.70
Milk Feed

Bran, per ton, 100 lb. sacks \$26.00
Shorts, ton, 100 lb. sacks \$27.00
White Middlings, per ton, 100 lb. sacks \$30.00
Red Dog, ton, 100 lb. sacks \$34.00

Grain (Quoted by C. A. Thomas)

Corn \$1.75 to 85c
Oats \$1.55 to 60c
Wheat \$1.20 to \$1.30
Rye \$1.00 to \$1.10
Barley \$1.70 to 80c

Butter and Eggs (Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery butter, pound \$30 to 31c
Dairy butter, pound \$26 to 28c
Eggs, fresh, dozen \$18c

Cheese (Quoted by Hy. Andereggs)

Fancy full cream daisies \$1.15 to 16c
Fancy full cream daisies \$1.15 to 16c
Fancy full cream limburger \$1.10 to 17c
Fancy full cream Swiss block \$1.10 to 17c
Fancy full cream brick \$1.10 to 17c
German hand cheese, per box \$1.90
Norwegian Primost \$1.70 to 8c

For Eastern Laughs.

"Mr. Dewar called again this morning," said the new office boy as Mr. Wilson entered the office. "Did you tell him I had gone to California, as I told you, Frank?" "Yes, sir," "What did he say?" "He asked when you would be back, and I said, 'After lunch.'"—Indianapolis News.

WOUNDED MEN CALL EACH OTHER HIGHWAYMEN

MILWAUKEE, March 17.—Joseph Basso says Joseph Ross is a highwayman. Joseph Ross says Joseph Basso is a highwayman. Both are in Emergency hospital, suffering from wounds received in a revolver battle in St. Francis last night.

Basso told the police today that he was walking along the railroad tracks when three armed men stopped him. He began firing and shot one of the trio, but was himself wounded in the shoulder.

Ross charged today that Basso held him up last night and that in the resultant fight he was shot in the side and back.

Foreign Markets

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, March 17.—The stock market opened dull today with no important price changes.

11 a. m.—Trading was quiet during the first hour, but prices remained very firm.

Strength continued until noon, aided by some short covering.

Trading was still light in the early afternoon. Prices held good, however.

The stock market closed slightly weaker.

New York Money

NEW YORK, March 17.—Money on call, 1½ per cent; time money, 3½ per cent for six months; prime mercantile, 3½ to 4 per cent. Bar silver, London, 23d; New York, 50½c; demand sterling, 4.80.

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 17.—Cattle—Receipts 4,000; market steady to strong; steers, \$5.75 to \$8.60; cows and heifers, \$4.25 to \$8.25; stockers and feeders, \$6.00 to \$7.80; calves, \$6.00 to \$10.50.

Hogs—Receipts 10,000; market 5c lower; bulk, \$6.65 to \$6.75; heavy, \$6.65 to \$6.72 1-2; medium, \$6.65 to \$6.75; light, \$6.65 to \$6.80.

Sheep—Receipts 4,000; market

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SPORTS

NORMAL SCHOOL IS IN HIGH SPIRITS OVERCOMING EVENT

Students and Faculty Await
Anxiously the Result of
the Whitewater
Meet

MASS MEETING YESTERDAY

Part of Forenoon Is Given
Over to Holding Rousing
Enthusiastic Meeting
at the School

"The crowning event of the year," is the way in which followers of normal school basketball fortunes speak of the meet scheduled for Friday at Whitewater when basketball and oratorical honors of state normal schools will be decided. Dr. Sputh's northern champions and Angell's Milwaukee southern champions will clash in the afternoon to decide the state title. Oratorical teams of the eight state normal schools will take the stage in the evening to fix the forensic title.

What was probably the most enthusiastic mass meeting held this year was conducted yesterday forenoon from the third period until noon, some of the time being taken up by a special oratorical meeting. Speeches by members of the faculty including Coach Carl B. Sputh were made. Selections by the school band served to enliven the assemblage. Yell after yell was led by Cheerleader Art Holthaus.

School Optimistic
A spirit of optimism reigns at the school. The splendid showing made by the team this year has instilled confidence into the student body. "If we are beaten, they will have to go some," declared Coach Sputh today in discussing the coming event.

La Crosse has the edge on the Milwaukeeans on comparative scores. La Crosse defeated Campion college of Prairie du Chien, 25 to 13. Milwaukee defeated the same team by the margin of one point, 19 to 18. Campion some time ago let Platteville down with one point, made on a free throw. Milwaukee defeated Platteville by scores of 33 to 22 and 31 to 14.

Last Game Yesterday
The last game of the season was played at the Normal gymnasium yesterday afternoon between the first and second squads, resulting in a 58 to 19 victory for the firsts. The game was hard fought throughout, Jackson and Roman, utility men, playing on the second's squad. The first half ended 23 to 15.

Webb's Subject "America's Policy"
The game at Whitewater will be played at three o'clock and the oratorical contest will begin in the evening. Eight orators from the state Normals of the state will contest for the honors. The winner of the contest will be the state representative in the annual inter-state contest to be held in La Crosse April 27th. Russel Webb, the La Crosse Normal representative in the event on Friday, will speak on "America's Policy." The oration is original, dealing with America's policy with regard to the European war. This year will be the second year that Russel Webb has represented the school in the inter-normal school oratorical contest, last year winning fifth place at Milwaukee.

CUBS AT JACKSONVILLE

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., March 17.—Roger Bresnahan unloaded his Cubs here today where they will engage the Athletics. Pete Allison was the first Cub to get the hook. He is on his way to Memphis today. The Cubs trimmed the Phillies at St. Petersburg yesterday, 10 to 4.

Love makes the world go round, but revenge tries to square it.

DRESS WARM AND KEEP FEET DRY

Tells Rheumatism Sufferers
to Take Salts and Get Rid
of Uric Acid.

Rheumatism is no respecter of sex, color or rank. If not the most dangerous of human afflictions it is one of the most painful. Those subject to rheumatism should eat lean meat, dress as warmly as possible, avoid any undue exposure and, above all, drink lots of pure water.

Rheumatism is caused by uric acid which is generated in the bowels and absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine; the pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly, cold weather the skin pores are closed thus forcing the kidneys to do double work, they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate this uric acid which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism.

At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is said to eliminate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities.

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JESS WILLARD IS WONDER TO CUBANS

White Giant Proves Big
Attraction at His Camp
at Miramar Near
Havana

HAVANA, March 17.—All Havana flocked to Miramar today to get a glimpse of the white giant who is to battle Jack Johnson for the world's championship April 4. Jess Willard, accompanied by his manager, Tom Jones, and a retinue of trainers, arrived in Havana last night and went at once to Miramar, where training quarters had been reserved for him.

Willard was scheduled to work out today and the Cubans, anxious to see how he stacks up, fairly swarmed to his training quarters. The giant white man weighs 250 pounds, it was announced on his arrival. His work in the next two weeks is expected to bring him down to 240, which figure he expects to make by the day he meets the black.

So Say We All of Us.
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ROOKIES AND REGULARS

SAN ANTONIO, Texas.—After games with San Antonio Thursday and the University of Texas on Friday the Cards will divide into squads and begin to barnstorm their way home. Dick Niehaus pitched the Regulars to a six to one win over the Rookies under Dolan yesterday.

HOUSTON, Texas.—Two games, one at Texas City for the benefit of the soldiers encamped there, and another here, will be the work of the

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Browns today beginning a busy schedule. Rickey made his men work out twice yesterday despite cold weather.

HAVANNA.—Cold weather and a searching wind that made practice a hardship on the athletes occupied the day of the Sloc-Feds. Fielder Jones had his twirlers cut loose with all they had late in the afternoon and then everyone broke for the wharf to welcome Jess Willard.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark.—Honus Wagner was feeling pretty chesty today over the beating his Yannisians handed the Regulars yesterday. The score was 7 to 2.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas.—"Give me the small town rookie and I'll pass up the big city birds," said Bill Steen. Then the San Antonio squad, mostly comebacks from the big towns, walloped his Indians 6 to 3.

GULFPORT, Miss.—Hughie Jennings today resumed his task of trying to convert Marty Kavanaugh into a first baseman. George Burns, the

Regular first baseman, operated up on Tuesday for appendicitis, is resting easily in a New Orleans hospital.

MARLIN SPRINGS, Texas.—Rookie Piez is making a strong bid for a regular berth in the Giant outfield. His home run yesterday in the Rookie-Regular practice clash was about his seventh this spring. Pitcher Ritter was improving today.

SAVANNAH, Ga.—Good weather was in sight today and Donovan expected to lead his charges on to a regular ball field for work. Yesterday's practice in the Y. M. C. A. gym didn't do much good in his estimation.

DAYTONA, Fla.—The Superbas were split up into two squads today. The Clarendon Ormond team being played here and the Stetson university team being taken on at Deland. Jack Coombs had charge of the squad that went to Deland.

BROWN'S WELLS, Miss.—The sudden departure of Business Manager Dick Carroll of the Brooklyn Feds started a rumor here that the Federal league was going to effect a working agreement with the Southern league.

GOTHAM IS SCENE OF MANY BIG RING BATTLES TONIGHT

PHILADELPHIA, March 17.—One championship and two near championship boxing matches are scheduled here tonight. The great quantity of top line fisticuff results from a promoters' war.

At the Olympia A. A., Johnny Kilbane and Kid Williams, feather and bantam champions respectively, will mingle. At the National Athletic club, Charley White of Chicago and Sammy Robideau of Philadelphia, lightweights, will stage one star bout, while Jimmy Clabby and Young Ahearn, middleweights, will meet in another feature event.

WHALE SPRAINS ANKLE
SHREVEPORT, La., March 17.—Jimmy Smith, Joe Tinker's successor at short, will be out of the game for a few days with a sprained knee. The Whales are wondering how he did it. He rammed his head into Kavanaugh's chest and got up with a game leg.

DILLON EASES OVER BEATING TO SMITH

Indianapolis Heavy Takes
Majority of Rounds
from Gunner at
Milwaukee

JACK NEARLY FLOORED IN EIGHTH

Smith Starts Out with Rush
but Is Soon Stopped by
a Fusillade of Body
Blows

BY JAMES O'DEA
(Written for the United Press.)

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 17.—Indianapolis is on the pugilistic map today. Jack Dillon, native son, put it there when he treated Gunboat Smith to a tasty licking in ten rounds at the Auditorium last night. Jack took five rounds, the Gunboat had two, and three were even. He entered the ring weighing about 174 and Smith about 180.

Dillon confined his attack almost

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exclusively to the body and he had Smith's entire mid-section a beautiful roseate tint as the result of a hard, two handed pounding. Smith's best blows were a long left swing to the head and a right cross. Jack wisely up to that left early, but one got past his guard in the eighth and nearly floored him, the nearest to a knockdown in the whole fight. There was a world of action in every period.

The first was Smith's best round. He used left and right effectively and made Dillon look bad. Jack evened up the second with his body punching and went out into the lead in the next round. The fourth was the prettiest session in the entire fracas. The fifth, sixth and seventh were all Dillon's. After Dillon piled up a lead in the eighth, Smith evened things by nearly flooring him. The Gunboat's uppercut was working for the first time in the ninth and he had a shade. They staged a whirlwind finish in the tenth, with Dillon having the round and the fight.

Billy Miske, St. Paul middleweight, had a slight shade on Gus Christie of Milwaukee in the semi-windup. Eddie Franke, local amateur, made his professional debut and held Mike Hirsch, Chicago middleweight, to a six round draw. Johnny Ritchie of Chicago beat Kayo Krause, local bantam, over the same route. The crowd was the smallest ever attending an Auditorium show.

BOXING CLUB FILES OBJECTION TO AHEARN

NEW YORK, March 17.—The Eddie McGorty-Young Ahearn squabble, slated for Friday night at Madison Square Garden, may be called off today. The Irving Athletic club yesterday filed an objection with the state boxing commission against the appearance of Ahearn before the Garden club, alleging he had a previous contract with that organization.

SOX AT MODESTO

MODESTO, Cal., March 17.—The White Sox steamed into this port today for a game with the Coast league champions. The Rookies are eyeing Eddie Collins askance. Yesterday against Portland he slapped out a double and three singles and then got a walk. The Sox won, 9 to 5.

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